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NOTICE TO PLUMBERS AND STEAMFITTERS

Separate or lump tenders, addressed to the undersigned, will be received through registered post up to noon on

THURSDAY, NOV. 12th, 1896,

for the following trades in connection with the erection of the new city buildings, viz.:-

- (1) Plumbing and Gasfitting.
- (2) Steam-Heating, etc.
- (3) Galvanized Iron Work.
- (4) Electric Wiring.

Plans and specifications and form of contract may be seen, and forms of tender and all other information obtained, upon application at the office of E. J. Lennox, architect, corner King and Yonge streets, Toronto, on and after Monday, the 2nd day of November next. Each and every tender must comply with the terms of the specifications and this advertisement, and be accompanied by a marked cheque, made payable to the order of the City Treasurer, Toronto, equal to 2½ per cent. of the amount of tender, which will be forfeited to the city in the event of any person whose tender is accepted failing to execute the necessary contract or give sureties satisfactory to the Board of Control for the due fulfilment of the same. The deposits of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned.

Tender must be on forms supplied by the architect, which provide for the bona fide signatures of the contractor and his sureties, or they will be ruled out as informal. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

ROBERT J. FLEMING, (Mayor),
Chairman Board of Control.

City Hall, Toronto, Oct. 30, 1896.

TOWN OF PERTH

TENDERS FOR WATERWORKS

The Corporation of the Town of Perth is prepared to grant a franchise for a term of years for the putting in and operating of a

SYSTEM OF WATERWORKS

for the said town. All necessary information can be had by application to the undersigned.

JNO. A. KERR,

Clerk Town of Perth.

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BUSINESS NOTES.

Labelle & Vallee, roofers, Montreal, have dissolved.

H. N. Bernier, plumber, St. Hyacinthe, Que., is announced to have assigned.

Grothe Bros, contractors, Montreal, have made an offer of 25 cents on the dollar.

Martin & Carriere, contractors, St. Louis du Mile End, Que., have dissolved partnership.

CONTRACTS OPEN.

HARTLAND, N. B.—The Foresters have laid the foundation of a large hall.

MAGOG, QUE.—A. G. Dolloff has purchased a site and will commence building operations at once.

SAULT STE. MARIE, ONT.—The town council is being asked to grant a free site for a new post-office.

FENELON FALLS, ONT.—J. W. Howry & Sons are said to have decided to rebuild their saw mill.

WEBBWOOD FALLS, ONT.—A company proposes erecting a large pulp mill on the Spanish river at this point.

PAKENHAM, ONT.—The Presbyterian congregation propose erecting a new church, at a cost of \$10,000.

YARMOUTH, N. S.—Henry R. Lordly, C. E., is preparing plans for a system of raising water to the reservoir.

KASLO, B. C.—The by-law to grant a franchise for electric lighting to Alexander & Retallack has been defeated.

RAT PORTAGE, ONT.—The Keewatin Power Company will shortly resume the work of completing their water power here.

REGINA, N. W. T.—The North-West legislature has passed a resolution favoring the immediate construction of the Crow's Nest railway.

MIDWAY, B. C.—F. M. Kerby, C. E., is making surveys of an irrigating ditch to supply Midway townsite and the Murray and Sullivan ranches with water.

UNBRIDGE, ONT.—Mr. Canavan is considering a project to convert two of his stores into a first-class hall, with circular gallery, and seated throughout with opera chairs.

CORNWALL, ONT.—The residence of Hon. John S. McDonald having recently been purchased for a Roman Catholic hospital, the building will be overhauled and fitted up for the purpose.

PORT STANLEY, ONT.—The Port Stanley Elevator Co., with a capital of \$3,000, has been organized here. Among the promoters are Joseph De Gurse, civil engineer, of Windsor, and D. M. McKay, of this place.

ALMONTE, ONT.—Messrs. Bell & Wilkie have just completed a survey of the route for that part of the Carp, Almonte and Lanark railroad between Carp and Almonte, and have also prepared a map, plan and profile of the same.

WINDSOR, ONT.—Dr. Casgrain, chairman of the water commissioners, states the board will take immediate steps to put in a filtering plant at the present intake. It will cost about \$40,000, and the ratepayers will be asked to sanction the work.

LACHUTE, QUE.—The town is asked to grant a bonus of \$30,000 to the Great Northern Railway Company, which proposes constructing a railway. Should the