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## PIPE WELLS

Tenders are invited up to March 1st next, by the Water Commissioners of the Town of Berlin for putting down PIPE WELLS. For all information apply to Wm. Mahlon Davis, C.E., Superintendent of Water-works.

HERBERT J. BOWMAN,

Secretary of Water Commissioners.

Berlin, February 8th, 1899.

## Tenders for Supplies

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock, noon, of TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 21ST INST., for the supply of the following materials required by the Board of Works Department of the City of Hamilton for the year 1899:

- (1) LUMBER.
- (2) SPIKES.
- (3) CEDAR POSTS.
- (4) PORTLAND CEMENT.
- (5) 4" STONE CURBING.
- (6) GRAVEL.

According to specifications to be obtained at the office of the Street Commissioner Hamilton.  
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

T. BEASLEY,  
Hamilton, Feb. 2nd, 1899. City Clerk.

## ELECTRIC LIGHT PLANT

Sealed proposals will be received by the Electric Light Committee of the City Council of the City of Halifax, Nova Scotia, until twelve o'clock noon, on WEDNESDAY, MARCH 8th 1899 for the manufacture, erection and equipment of an ELECTRIC LIGHTING PLANT for lighting the streets and public buildings of the city.

Specifications and other information may be obtained from the City Engineer or City Electrician.  
The City Council hereby reserves the right to reject any or all tenders, or to accept separate tenders for any portion or portions of the work or any tender or tenders that in their judgment will be for the best interest of the City.

Each proposal must be made on the form furnished by the City Engineer, and must be endorsed "Tender addressed to Ald. Mosher, Chairman of the Committee on Electric Lighting, City Engineer's office, Halifax, N.S."

All tenders plans and accompanying papers, photographs, etc., shall become the property of the City.

F. W. W. DOANE  
City Engineer.

City Hall, Halifax, N.S., Feb. 4th, 1899.

## TO CONTRACTORS

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 21ST, at 5 p. m. for the several trades required in the erection and completion of a

### LARGE OFFICE BUILDING

on Main Street Winnipeg, for The Manitoba Trusts Company. Plans and specifications may be seen and all other information obtained at the office of

GEO. W. GOVINLOCK, Architect,

Temple Building Toronto,  
and GEORGE BROWN, Architect Winnipeg.  
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

## Notice to Contractors

Tenders Wanted for the Construction of Water Works System for the Town of Stayner, Ont.

Tenders, by registered mail, will be received by the Chairman of Fire and Waterworks Committee up to the hour of 8 o'clock p. m. on WEDNESDAY, THE FIRST DAY OF MARCH NEXT, for the Construction of a Water Works System, comprising the following works, viz:

Drainage of Springs with Agricultural Drain Tiles, with Brick Intake Chamber  
Main from Intake Chamber to Reservoir.  
Storage reservoir, with Valve Chamber and Valves  
Main from Storage Reservoirs to Town of Stayner.  
Distribution Mains in Town, with Valves and Hydrants, and all Specials connected therewith.

Specifications and drawings may be seen at the Town Hall, Stayner, Ont. and at the office of John Galt, C. E. & M. E., Canada Life Building Toronto, from whom forms of tender and full particulars may be obtained, on and after Wednesday, the 15th day of February, inst.

Tenders must be in Lump Sum.  
A certified bank cheque payable to the order of the Treasurer of the Town of Stayner for ten per cent of the amount tendered, must accompany each proposal, otherwise it will be ruled out as informal.  
The Corporation do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

WILLIAM McBETH,

Chairman of Fire and Waterworks Committee.  
Stayner, Ont., Feb'y 14th, 1899

## CONTRACTS OPEN.

HOPETOWN, ONT.—A Presbyterian church will be built here.

GLANIS, ONT.—A site has been selected for the proposed school building.

BLENHEIM, ONT.—The council is considering the extension of the electric light plant.

TORONTO JUNCTION, ONT.—John E. Harris is building an addition to his residence.

GLENBURNE, ONT.—C. Hay purposes building a new dwelling house in the spring.

EDMONTON, N.W.T.—A movement is on foot to secure the erection of a public hospital.

GEORGEVILLE, QUE.—Rediker & Clark contemplate the erection of a building to be used as a meat market.

WESTPORT, ONT.—The school trustees are considering plans for enlarging the school building.

MILVERTON, ONT.—Wiederhold & Hendrich intend building a new factory in the early spring.

NIAGARA FALLS, ONT.—A petition will be presented to the council asking for the establishment of a municipal electric light plant.

BALTIMORE, ONT.—Tenders are wanted by 25th inst. for building a Methodist church. Particulars from John Gilliland.

LEAMINGTON, ONT.—The town will apply to the Ontario legislature for permission to issue debentures extending over thirty years.

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld.—The Western Newfoundland Oil Co., which has just been formed, will construct a refinery at an early date.

OAK RIDGES, ONT.—The congregation of St. John's church have subscribed funds for renovating the church building next summer.

SMITH'S FALLS, ONT.—An agreement has not yet been reached regarding the selection of a site for the proposed high school building.

DIXON'S CORNERS, ONT.—The township council has decided to build a new municipal hall, tenders for which will shortly be invited.

CARDINAL, ONT.—It is reported that the Edwardsburg Starch Company intend expending \$50,000 in a plant for the manufacture of raw oil.

SHELBURNE, ONT.—A committee has been appointed by the county council to report upon a modern heating system for the county building.

TWEED, ONT.—The question of the advisability of purchasing a stone crusher and steam road roller is being considered by the village council.

MIDLAND, ONT.—The town has agreed to grant a bonus of \$50,000 to the Canada Iron Furnace Company for the establishment of a smelter here.

HULL, QUE.—Tenders were received by the city up to the 6th inst. for an electric light plant, but the council has deferred action until the 17th inst.

RICHMOND HILL, ONT.—Plans have been completed for the new market and bank building, and they will be considered by the council at a meeting to be held this (Wednesday) evening.

ST. THOMAS, ONT.—W. McKay, county clerk, invites tenders up to noon on Wednesday, March 1st, for the purchase of \$40,000 of county debentures.

BELLEVILLE, ONT.—H. Corby, M.P., has purchased the old Downey elevator from the city, and purposes enlarging it to a capacity of 200,000 bushels.

PENETANGUISHENE, ONT.—Patterson & Pusley are about to enlarge and remodel the Penetang hotel. They will also build a new hotel at Sans Souci.

PARRY SOUND, ONT.—Argue & Son have purchased the site of the old Beatty saw mill, and purpose erecting a new mill, with planing machine, dry kiln, etc.

COULSON'S HILL, ONT.—Tenders will be received by Charles Stewart up to 22nd