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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."

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Notice to Contractors

Tenders will be received by registered post, addressed to the City Engineer, Toronto, up to 11 o'clock a. m. on FRIDAY, AUGUST 17th, 1894, for the construction of the following work:—

CONCRETE CEMENT SIDEWALK

On Queen street, north side, from Yonge street to Berkeley street.

Specifications may be seen and forms of tender obtained on and after Friday, August 10, 1894, at the office of the City Engineer, Toronto.

A deposit in the form of a marked cheque, payable to the order of the City Treasurer, for the sum of 5 per cent. on the value of the work tendered for under \$1,000, and 2½ per cent. for the work tendered for over that amount, must accompany each and every tender, otherwise they 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, August 1, 1894.

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TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed tenders endorsed "Tender for Drainage," and addressed to John F. Kelly, Esq., Township Clerk, Mallorytown Ont., will be received up to 6 p. m.

Saturday, August 11, 1894,

For the deepening, widening, straightening, etc., of Jones' Creek, from Yonge Mills in the Township of Yonge to Avery's Mill in the Township of Escott, a distance of eleven miles, approximately.

Plans, specifications, forms of tender to be seen after August 3rd, 1894, at the offices of Saunders & Wiggins, Engineers, Brockville, Ont.

The line of the proposed work is now staked out.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

B. J. SAUNDERS, M. J. CONNOLLY,
Engineer. Reeve.

Municipality of Front of Yonge and Escott,
24th July, 1894.

TENDERS WANTED

Tenders will be received by the undersigned, until WEDNESDAY, the 15th August, 1894, for the erection and furnishing an

ELECTRIC LIGHT PLANT

including poles and wires, lamps, etc., etc. And for erecting a Power House on the water power owned by the Town of Trenton, to be owned and operated by the municipality.

Also a tender for lighting the Town of Trenton, the tender to state price separately, and to furnish their own plans and specifications.

Further information can be obtained from the undersigned. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

GEO. CROWE,

Chairman Fire, Market and Police Committee.

Trenton, 25th July, 1894.



NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Tenders will be received by registered post, addressed to the City Engineer, Toronto, up to 11 o'clock a. m. on SATURDAY, AUGUST 4, 1894, for the following work:—

AN ASPHALT PAVEMENT

On McCaul Street (on track allowance), from Queen Street to College Street.

Specifications may be seen and forms of tender obtained on and after Tuesday, July 31st, 1894, at the office of the City Engineer.

A deposit in the form of a marked cheque, payable to the order of the City Treasurer, for the sum of five per cent. on the value of the work tendered for under \$1,000, and 2½ per cent. for the work tendered for over that amount, must accompany each and every tender, otherwise they 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 Committee on Works.

Committee Room, Toronto, July 26, 1894.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.



Tenders addressed to the undersigned will be received through registered post at the City Clerk's office up to noon of TUESDAY, August 7th, 1894, for the several works required in connection with the erection of a

CONSERVATORY IN THE HORTICULTURAL GARDENS.

Plans and specifications may be seen and all other information obtained at the office of Edwards & Webster, architects, No. 70 Victoria street. Each and every tender must be accompanied by a marked check, made payable to the order of the City Treasurer, or a cash deposit equal to 5 per cent. of the amount thereof if under \$1,000, or 2½ per cent. if over that amount, which deposit will be forfeited to the city in the event of the party whose tender is accepted failing to execute the necessary contract and bond. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JOHN HALLAM,

Chairman Parks and Gardens Committee.
City Hall, Toronto, July 30, 1894.

NEW COMPANIES.

PICTOU, N. S.—East River Electric Co., to supply electric power to adjacent villages.

BERLIN, ONT.—Jacob Y. Shantz & Son, Limited, seeking incorporation, capital, \$130,000, to manufacture buttons, novelties, etc.

BRANTFORD, ONT.—Brantford Stone-ware Mfg. Co., applying for incorporation; capital \$50,000; to manufacture stone-ware, tiles, terra cotta, etc.

MONTREAL, QUE.—Citizens Gas Co., incorporated; capital, \$62,500; promoters, F. C. Henshaw, F. E. Nelson, Jas. Taylor, J. T. Hagar and W. Strachan.—Imperial Writing Machine Co., incorporators, C. C. Colby, Stanstead, G. A. Drummond, H. McLennan, Montreal, and others.—Frozell Safety Scaffold Company applying for incorporation; capital, \$50,000; to manufacture a patent scaffold.

BUSINESS NOTES.

Albert Saunders, contractor, Carlton Place, Ont., has assigned.

Kane & Montpetit, plumbers, Montreal, have dissolved partnership.

Henry Yates, contractor, of Brantford, Ont., died on the 22nd inst.

A new firm of excavators and builders are E. Lepage & Co., Montreal.

V. E. Ottaway & Co., painters, Victoria, B. C., have gone out of business.

Joseph Roy, plumber, Montreal, has assigned with liabilities of \$3,500.

Geo. F. Welch & Son, painters, New Westminster, B. C., have dissolved partnership.

J. M. Douglas, builder, Kamloops, B. C., has admitted W. C. Douglas as a partner in business.

G. R. Woodburn has registered as proprietor of the firm of G. R. Woodburn & Co., plumbers, Montreal.

The Pennington and Baker Seating and School Furniture Co., of Dundas, are reported to have made an assignment.

CONTRACTS OPEN.

NORWICH, ONT.—A new town hall will be erected, at a cost of \$3,000.

SOUTH RIVER, ONT.—The South River Co. intend building a new store here.

ARNPRIOR, ONT.—An hotel is to be built at the mineral springs near here.

EGANVILLE, ONT.—American capitalists contemplate erecting a large lumber mill here.

KINGSVILLE, ONT.—John Graham will establish a cheese factory and fruit evaporating works here.

SUDBURY, ONT.—The cost of the proposed system of waterworks for the town is estimated at \$30,000.

RONDEAU ONT.—A joint stock company is being formed for the erection of a large summer hotel here.

AVIMER, QUE.—The Town Council has framed a by law for the construction of a system of waterworks.

NIAGARA FALLS SOUTH, ONT.—A new Baptist church is to be erected here on the site of the present building.

KINGSTON, ONT.—Power & Son, architects, are receiving tenders for a house on Barrie street for S. Harkness.

BRACEBRIDGE, ONT.—The town is offering for sale \$25,000 worth of waterworks and electric light debentures.

CAYUGA, ONT.—On Tuesday last the ratepayers voted in favor of expending the sum of \$15,000 for a new town hall.

LONDON, ONT.—McBride and Farmcombe, architects, are receiving tenders for a brick residence on Dundas street.

WOODSTOCK, ONT.—Messrs Henry Gustin, John Virtue and H. M. Meadows each contemplate erecting new buildings.

HALIFAX, N. S.—The City Treasurer has been authorized to borrow the sum of \$15,000 for the new pipe line and \$20,000 for sewerage works.

FORT WILLIAM, ONT.—A by-law has been passed by the Council authorizing the construction of the Brodie street sewer; estimated cost, \$1,225.

PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE, MAN.—It is expected the Dominion Government will take steps immediately to purchase the site for the new post-office here.

GUELPH, ONT.—Henry Larter has purchased a site and will erect a new brick residence. Solomon Dawson will also erect a new residence on Elora Road.

CHATHAM, ONT.—Steps must be taken at once to provide an adequate water supply, owing to the failure of the artesian well. It is probable that the supply will be obtained from the Thames river.

WINDSOR, ONT.—James Strath is receiving tenders for the erection of two new residences.—Mr. Maycock, architect, has prepared plans for a new school house to be built at River Canard, estimated cost, \$7,000.

ST. JOHN, N. B.—It is the intention of a company to erect large smelting furnaces in this city. The chief promoter is