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TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed Tenders will be received by the undersigned, Chairman of the Property Committee of the Barrie Public Board, up to
Noon of Friday, 10th April, 1896
for carrying out, during the ensuing midsummer holidays, the proposed alterations and additions (including a system of Steam Heating and Ventilation) to the Barrie Model School.
Tenders will be received either for the whole work or separate portions.
Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of Messrs. Kennedy, McVittie & Co., Architects, Barrie, Ont.
Parties tendering must be prepared, should their tender be accepted, to enter into a contract with the Board with such sureties as the Board may deem sufficient for the due performance of their contract.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
G. G. SMITH,
Chairman Property Committee.
Dated 24th March, 1896.

TENDERS

are being received on the Consumptive Sanatorium, Muskoka, by
GEO. M. MILLER & CO., Architects,
18 King St. E., Toronto.

CONTRACTS OPEN.

ST. THOMAS, ONT.—The county buildings will be enlarged.
HOPE, B. C.—J. Carrigan contemplates the erection of a new hotel.
GANANOQUE, ONT.—The town will purchase a supply of lumber.
TILEY, ONT.—The Tilley Creamery Co. will build a butter factory.
MIDDLEVILLE, ONT.—R. C. Somerville will erect a brick residence, to cost \$1,000.
KEMPTVILLE, ONT.—Alonzo Bower, of Mountain, proposes to erect a roller mill here.
CASTOR CENTRE, ONT.—J. H. Wilcox intends building a new residence next summer.
TILBURY CENTRE, ONT.—M. Stewart will erect a brick block, corner Queen and Yonge streets.
MOLESWORTH, ONT.—The Presbyterian congregation have decided to build a new church.
ARNPRIOR, ONT.—Plans are being prepared for a residence in Arnprior for an Ottawa gentleman.
LACHUTE, QUE.—R. Prevost, of Montreal, is negotiating with the council to establish a factory here.
PETROLEA, ONT.—The nitro-glycerine works of H. Corey & Sons were destroyed by an explosion last week.
HINTONBURG, ONT.—The ratepayers will vote on a by-law on the 11th of April to issue debentures for \$10,000.
RICHIBUCTO, N. B.—The Presbyterians of Harcourt and Millbranch expect to commence the erection of a manse this summer.
RICHMOND, QUE.—It is probable that the waterworks company will make improvements to their plant during the coming summer.
MACTNAQUAC, N. B.—The Baptist congregation will erect a new church, at a cost of \$2,000. Contracts will be awarded at an early date.
REGINA, N. W. T.—The sum of \$16,000 has been placed in the supplementary estimates for the erection of a new land office at this place.
WOODSTOCK, N. B. Subscriptions to the building fund for the proposed new Knox church amount to \$16,000. About \$35,000 will be required.
FLINTON, ONT. The new St. Paul's Anglican church will be Gothic style, 50 x 20 ft., stone foundation and brick walls, estimated cost, \$1,400. Contract not let. Work will be commenced as soon as weather will permit. Rev. Hugh J. Spencer, rector.
LANG, ONT.—Tenders for painting the

new Bethel church at Otonabee will be received by Geo. Fife, of this place, until Saturday, the 4th of April.

LISTOWEL, ONT.—The Building Committee of Christ church are considering the plans for their new church. A number of plans have been received.
EDMONTON, N. W. T.—The Hudson's Bay Company have subscribed \$5,000 towards the new traffic bridge to be constructed across the Saskatchewan river.
SYDNEY, C. B.—John McDougall, municipal clerk, will receive proposals until the 29th inst., from parties desirous of loaning \$25,000 to the municipality.

ROCKPORT, ONT.—Extensive preparations are now in progress for a new English church, to be built here the coming summer by Rev. C. J. Young, incumbent.
BELLEVILLE, ONT.—Tenders for the building of a stone and wood school house for school section No. 17, Tyendinaga, will be received by Geo. Purdy up to the 28th inst.

HARWICH, ONT.—The County Council have accepted the plans of Mr. Wilson, architect, of Chatham, for a new township vault. Tenders for construction will be asked at once.

WHITBY, ONT.—Proposals will be received by Thos. Huston, town treasurer, until the 1st of April, for the purchase of \$22,800 of debentures, bearing interest at the rate of 4 per cent.

DIGBY, N. S.—W. S. Troop will build a new hotel. It will be 60 x 40 feet, two and a half stories in height, and will contain twenty large rooms, to be fitted up with all conveniences.

ST. JOHN, N. B.—The school trustees are asking \$80,000 for school purposes during the present year, exclusive of the cost of the high school building which it is proposed to erect.

FREDERICTON, N. B.—W. Harvey Lawrence is preparing to build a large tannery and shoe factory at Cardigan, on the Gibson branch of the C. P. R., about 13 miles from this city.

AHMIC ARBOR, ONT.—John Crowell, secretary-treasurer school board, will receive tenders until the 4th of April for erecting a new school house. Plans may be seen at the secretary's office.

GUELPH, ONT.—D. Sturton, chairman board of managers of Chalmers church, will receive tenders until Wednesday, the 1st of April, for the erection of galleries and other alterations to the church buildings.

BROCKVILLE, ONT.—At a recent meeting of the Brockville Electric Street Railway Company, the agreement with the town council was formally ratified. Work is to be commenced not later than May, 1897.

ST. JEROME, QUE.—The question of making alterations and additions to the court house and prison is under consideration by the City Council. The pro-