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GRANOLITHIC WALK

Tenders, addressed to the undersigned, and marked on envelope "Tender for Walks," will be received by the Town of Cornwall until six o'clock, p.m., of FRIDAY, AUGUST 13TH, 1897, for the construction of about 578 lineal feet of Granolithic Walk, four (4) feet wide. Specifications can be had on applying to the Town Clerk.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

GEORGE S. JARVIS,
Town Clerk.

Town Hall, Cornwall, July 24, 1897.

TOWN OF INGERSOLL

Scaled proposals will be received by the undersigned up to 4 p.m. FRIDAY, 30TH JULY, for the work to be done in draining, grading and paving with macadam and cobble stone of a portion of Thames street in the Town of Ingersoll.

Plans and specifications may be seen and forms of tender obtained at Town Clerk's office, Ingersoll, or at the office of Davis & VanBuskirk, engineers, Wood stock.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. R. SMITH,
Town Clerk, Ingersoll.

FOR SALE

16 inch "Foster" Y level, nearly new; cost \$100; will sell cheap. Box 26, CONTRACT RECORD.

DEBENTURES

TENDERS, sealed and addressed to the undersigned, and marked on envelope "Tender for Debentures," will be received by the Council of the Town of Cornwall until 6 o'clock, afternoon of FRIDAY, AUGUST 6TH, 1897, for the purchase of debentures of said Town amounting to ninety-eight thousand (\$98,000) dollars, and issued for the purchase of Waterworks. Said debentures are payable in thirty (30) equal annual instalments of principal and interest at the office of the Ontario Bank, in Cornwall, on the first day of August in each year during their currency.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

GEORGE S. JARVIS,
Town Clerk.

Town Hall, Cornwall, July 15th, 1897.

TENDERS

FOR

STEEL BRIDGE

Scaled Tenders addressed to the Engineer in charge, will be received up to 6 p.m. MONDAY, AUGUST 9TH, 1897, for the construction of a Steel Bridge at Hanover. The following tenders are required:

- (1) For the construction of a steel bridge with flow, span 72 feet, roadway 18 feet clear, travelling load 120 lbs. per square foot, height above top of water 12 feet F. of S. 4.
- (2) For the construction of two rough ashlar abutments per cubic yard, estimate 300 cubic yards.
- (3) For the construction of two iron pile abutments per lineal foot, to sustain a load 10,000 lbs. on each abutment. Estimated length, 25 feet.
- (4) For the construction of two iron or steel cylinder abutments same as No. 3.

Each party will submit plans and strain sheets subject to the approval of the engineer. Tenders will be opened at Hanover on Thursday, August 12th, 1897. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

R. McDOWALL,
Engineer in Charge,
Box 621, Owen Sound.

CHAS. McKINNON, Commissioner for Grey Co.
ROBERT LONG, Commissioner for Bruce Co.
Owen Sound, July 24th, 1897.

BUSINESS NOTES.

Beauchamp & Lamarche, contractors, Montreal, have dissolved partnership.

Joseph Sagnon and Hector Piquette, painters, have commenced business in Montreal.

Louis J. Pothier and Ovila Charpentier, bricklayers, Montreal, have formed a partnership.

William Taylor has commenced the manufacture of drain tiles at Carleton Place, Ont.

John Fraley & Co., contractors, Sudbury, Ont., are announced to have assigned to F. Cochrane.

The Art Work Manufacturing Co., of Toronto, will, it is said, purchase the Hess factory at Toronto Junction, with the object of opening a factory.

CONTRACTS OPEN.

SUSSEX, N. B.—Stephen Taylor will build a residence.

RINGTOWN, ONT.—A site is wanted for a House of Industry.

COMBER, ONT.—F. Fortier proposes building a dwelling for 1897.

MITCHELL, ONT.—Philip James proposes erecting a residence.

NORTHAMPTON, N. B.—It is the intention of C. Estey to erect a residence.

WOODSTOCK, N. B.—Mr. Burt, of Burt & Lee, will erect a dwelling on Green street.

WINDHAM CENTRE, ONT.—The Presbyterians propose to erect a new church edifice.

COBCOONK, ONT.—Henry Doughty is building the foundation for his new store and dwelling.

SAKNA, ONI.—It is the intention of the Dominion government to erect a new post-office here.

VERNON, B.C.—It is expected that the waterworks and electric light by law will be carried by the ratepayers.

CHATSWORTH, ONT.—A. A. Park is receiving tenders for erecting a large store and residence at Williamsford.

GALL, ONT.—The local Exhibition Association propose to erect a new building 100 feet in length in Dickson Park.

HINTONBURG, ONT.—The George Matthews Co. intend building a block of stores on the north side of Richmond road.

OTTAWA, ONT.—Mr. Patrick Kennedy has obtained a permit for a brick veneered residence on Gilmour street, to cost \$2,000.

FRENCH RIVER, ONT.—It is the intention of S. Phillips to erect a large hotel at this place, plans for which are now being prepared.

SIMCOE, ONT.—A new building 50 feet square has been started at the corner of Kent and Peel streets by Messrs. Wells & Innis and J. Gunton & Co.

COLLINGWOOD, ONT.—Tenders are asked by S. J. Coleman until Saturday next for the erection of a two-story brick store on Hurontario street.

CARTWRIGHT, MAN.—Plans are being prepared for a stone school to be built here. W. H. Shillinglaw, architect, Brandon, has charge of work.

NELSON, B.C.—A. E. Hodgins is preparing plans for a provincial jail to be built near the south-eastern limits of the city. Estimated cost, \$10,000.

WINDSOR, ONT.—William Lyons having refused to proceed with his contract for constructing water mains, the council have decided to invite new tenders.

STRAITORD, ONT.—The Y. M. C. A. have under consideration the erection of a new building, and have appointed a committee to raise funds for the purpose.

UXBRIDGE, ONT.—Mr. I. J. Gould,