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ADVERTISING RATES ON APPLICATION.

At its Convention held in Toronto, Nov. 30 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

ASHBRIDGE'S BAY IMPROVEMENTS.

Tenders will be received by registered post, addressed to the City Engineer, Toronto, up to 11 o'clock a.m. on MONDAY, THE 11TH SEPTEMBER, 1893, for the construction of

A JETTY

IN CONNECTION WITH THE IMPROVEMENTS IN
ASHBRIDGE'S BAY.

Specifications may be seen and forms of tender obtained on and after Thursday, August 31st, 1893, 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 2 1/2 per cent. on the value of the work tendered for, must accompany each and every tender, otherwise it will not be entertained.

The tenders must bear the bona fide signatures of the contractor and his sureties or they will be ruled out as informal.

DANIEL LAMB,
Chairman Committee on Works.
Committee Room, Toronto, August 30, 1893.



Notice to Contractors

Tenders will be received by registered post, addressed to the City Engineer, Toronto, up to 11 o'clock a.m. on WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20TH, 1893, for the construction of the following works:

PAYMENTS ON TRACK ALLOWANCES.

Church street, from Queen street to Bloor street, stone setts on concrete.

Bloor street, from Yonge street to Spadina avenue, stone setts on concrete.

Bathurst street, from Queen street to Bloor street, brick on concrete.

Bathurst street, from Bloor street to the C. P. Railway, stone setts on concrete.

Plans and specifications may be seen and forms of tender obtained on and after Wednesday, 13th September, 1893, 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 5 per cent on the value of the work tendered for under \$1,000, and 2 1/2 per cent. on the value of the work tendered for over that amount, must accompany each and every tender, otherwise it will not be entertained.

All tenders must bear the bona fide signature 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, Sept. 5th, 1893.



Notice to Contractors

TENDERS FOR PAVEMENTS.

Tenders will be received by registered post, addressed to the City Engineer, Toronto, up to eleven o'clock a.m. on MONDAY, THE 11TH SEPTEMBER, 1893, for the construction of the following works.

ASPHALT PAVEMENT

On Linden street, from Sherbourne street to Huntley street.

CEDAR BLOCK PAVEMENT

On Mansfield avenue, from Bellwoods avenue to Grace street.

Specifications may be seen and forms of tender obtained on and after Thursday, September 7th, 1893, 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 2 1/2 per cent. on the value of the work tendered for, must accompany each and every tender, otherwise it will not be entertained.

The tenders must bear the bona fide signatures of the contractor and his sureties or they will be ruled out as informal.

DANIEL LAMB,
Chairman of Committee on Works.
Committee Room, Toronto, Sept. 2, 1893.

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CANADIAN CONTRACTORS' HAND-BOOK

A new and thoroughly revised edition of the Canadian Contractors' Hand-Book, consisting of 150 pages of the most carefully selected material, is now ready, and will be sent post-paid to any address in Canada on receipt of price. This book should be in the hands of every architect, builder and contractor who desires to have readily accessible and properly authenticated information on a wide variety of subjects adapted to his daily requirements.

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CONTRACTS OPEN.

NORTH BAY, ONT.—Mr. M. Calvin will erect a new brick residence.

ELMIRA, ONT.—The purchase of a fire engine is under consideration.

MARKHAM, ONT.—The Council is considering the purchase of about 600 feet of water pipe.

PORT WOOD, B. C.—A company has been formed to build a sawmill at the head of Burrard Inlet.

PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE, MAN.—Mr. John Costigan will erect a new brick store opposite the post office.

WOODSTOCK, ONT.—A movement is on foot to erect a large skating and curling rink in the central part of the town.

CARBERRY, MAN.—A by-law to raise the sum of \$6,000 for fire protection will be voted on by the ratepayers on the 26th inst.

GRANDY, QUE.—Mr. James Payton has made arrangements with the Town Council for the construction of a system of waterworks.

PENETANGUISHENE, ONT.—Mr. Geo. Thompson, of Wingham, was in town recently looking for a site on which to erect a furniture factory.

ARNPRIOR, ONT.—Mr. M. Galvin intends to rebuild the large block from the Aacade to Menzie's drug store, destroyed by fire some time ago.

RIMOUSKI, QUE.—A memorial has been forwarded to the Ottawa Government asking for the extension of the Government wharf at this point.

WOLFE ISLAND, ONT.—It is probable that a first class summer hotel will be erected here next summer. An agitation is now on foot to form a company for that purpose.

CHATHAM, ONT.—A by-law authorizing the Council to issue debentures to the amount of \$17,000, principally for the construction of drains, was carried by a vote of the ratepayers last week.

STRATFORD, ONT.—David G. Baxter, architect, is calling for tenders until the

14th inst. for alterations and additions to the old Knox church manse, for Mr. J. P. Mabee; estimated cost \$4,000.

COLLINGWOOD, ONT.—Rev. Dr. Stone will receive tenders until Saturday next for the erection of a new school room for Maple street Methodist church, and for alterations to the church edifice.

GAITHER, ONT.—Tenders are invited by J. H. Radford, Chairman Finance Committee, until Friday, the 13th inst., for the purchase of \$15,000 worth of debentures, issued for the purpose of extending the waterworks system.

PERTH, ONT.—Mr. Keefe; C. E., has completed plans for a system of drainage for this town to cost about \$25,000. A by-law will be submitted to the ratepayers at once authorizing the Council to borrow the necessary funds.

VANCOUVER, B. C.—Mr. R. M. Fripp, architect, is preparing plans for a large block for Dr. Powell, which will be built on the corner of Hastings and Hamilton streets. Mr. Fripp has just completed plans for another block for Dr. Powell, to be erected at the corner of Pender and Richard streets, the contract for foundations for which has been let to Mr. E. Cook.

HAMILTON, ONT.—Mr. George Mills is tearing down the old buildings at the corner of King and Walnut streets and will replace them by a two-story brick block.—Mr. J. Powell, architect, is calling for tenders for the erection of four houses at the corner of Young and Ferguson ave.—Tenders are wanted at Mr. Thos. Burrow's auction rooms for alterations to a brick dwelling house on West avenue north, between Wilson and King William streets.

WINNIPEG, MAN.—Messrs. Alloway & Champion intend to make extensive improvements to their banking offices on Main street. Mr. Peters is preparing the plans.—A petition has been presented to the City Council for the construction of a sewer on Seventeenth avenue north; estimated cost, \$16,000.—The Board of Works will shortly advertise for tenders for stone paving on Main street.—The Standard Oil Company are about to commence the erection of commodious warehouse on Logan street, near the C. P. R. track.

LONDON, ONT.—Mr. Cauld, architect, has completed plans for residences for Messrs. D. J. Batzner, W. Clark and Alex. Fraser.—Messrs. Moore & Henry, architects, invite tenders until 5 p.m. on Tuesday, the 12th inst., for the erection of a brick residence on Kent street for Mr. A. M. Smart.—The City Engineer has issued the following building permits: Thos. Knowles, brick house on Weston street; Thos. Westland, two story brick veneer residence on Craig street, Robert Watson, brick residence on Queen's avenue; T. W. Coles, brick residence on Queen's avenue; R. A. Lyon, for two-story frame house on west side of Talbot street, near Simcoe st.

OTTAWA, ONT.—Mr. H. A. Brouse has purchased the Caldwell property on the