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Sealed Tenders addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for New Steel Hopper Barges," will be received at this office until Friday, the 22nd day of May, next, for the construction and delivery of two Steel Hopper Barges in accordance with a plan and a specification to be seen at the office of Mr. W. J. M.-Cordock, Superintendent of Dredging at St. John, N. B.; at the office of Mr. A. P. Lepine, Post Office Building, Guebec, at the Minister's room, Post Office Building, Montreal: at the office of Mr. H. A. Gray, Resident Engineer, Confederation Life Building, Ioronio, and at the Department of Public Works, Ottaw. Tenders will not be considered unless made on the form supplied, and signed with the actual signatures of tenderers.

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An accepted bank cheque for the sum of \$1,000, payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, must accompany each tender This cheque will be forfeited if the party declines the contract, or fails to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.

The Department does not bind uself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order.

By order, E. F. E. ROY, Secretary.

Department of Public Works, Ottawa, 14th April, 1896.

### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

#### TENDERS FOR STREET LIGHTING

Tenders, addressed to the undersigned, will be re-ceived up to 7, to p. m., JULY 57H, 1896, for lighting the streets of the Town of St. Marys with electricity for a period of ten years. For particulars apply to the undersigned. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

L. HARSTONE, Clerk, Town of St. Marys, Ont.



Scaled Tenders addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Post Office, &c., Amprior, Ont.," will be received at this office until Thursday, 7th May, 1856, for the several works required in the erection of Post Office, &c., Amprior.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa, and at the office of Messrs. Dulmace & Burwash, barristers, Amprior, Ont., on and after Friday, 24th April, and tenders will not be considered unless made on form supplied and signed with the actual signatures of tenderers.

An accepted bank cheque, payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, equal to five per cent, of amount of tender, must accompany each tender. This cheque will be forfeited if the party decline the contract or fail to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order.

By order, E. F. E. ROY, Secretary.

Department of Public Works, Ottawa, .oth April, 1896.



# To Contractors

Scaled Tenders addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tenders for Works," will be received at this Department until NOON OF SATURDAY, MAY 16711, for the following works:—

Rebuilding of Chemical Laboratory and Reconstruction of Sewage Disposal Works at the Agricultural College, Guelph; Porch to North Building. Asylum for the Insane, London; Addition to East Wing of the Asylum for the Insane, Kingston; Residence for Medical Superintendent, Asylum for the Insane, Brockville; Addition to Gaol, North Bay; and for Caretaker's Lodge on the Grounds of Osgoode Hall, Toronto.

Plans and specifications may be seen at this Department and at the above named institutions.

An accepted bank cheque payable to the undersigned for 5% on the amount of each tender for each of the above works will be required.

(Signed) WM. HARTY, Commissioner.

Department of Public Works, Ont., May 1st, 1896.

#### CONTRACTS OEPN

WICKLOW, ONT .- A new church will be erected here.

SUSSEX, N. B. - A church and dwelling will be erected here.

CARLOW, ONT. - J. McBride will erect a residence this summer.

ST. JOHNS, QUE. - The construction of system of sewerage is being urged.

IROQUOIS, ONT .- The by-law to provide for electric lighting has been defeated.

WALKERTON, ONT.—The by-law to raise \$10,000 for a new town hall has been defeated.

BELMONT, ONT .-- The congregation of Knox church will erect a new manse, to cost \$2,000.

GALL, ONL-Mr. Mellish, architect, has prepared sketches for a new wing to the General Hospital.

INVERNESS, QUE. - W. H. Lambly, secretary-treasurer, invites tenders for building two steel bridges.

PENETANGUISHENE, ONA. — J. W. Gendron has purchased a site and will erect a dwelling this summer.

GLENBURNIE, ONT.—A new R. C. church will be built here. Archbishop Cleary has subscribed \$2,000.

BRANDON, MAN .- The trustees of the Methodist church have in contemplation the erection of a new brick building.

ST. THOMAS, ONT. The Elgin Loan & Savings Company will erect a new building on Talbot street this summer.

LIMOILOU, QUE.-His Grace Mgr. Begin has selected a site for the proposed church. Work will be commenced this fall. HALIFAX, N. S .- J. C. Dumaresq,

architect, has prepared plans for a \$3,000 residence for Harlan Fulton on Cobourg road. WEBBWOOD, ONT .- The congregation

of the Church of England have under consideration the erection of a new TILBURY CENTRE, ONT .- Mr. Henry,

C. E., will submit plans at the next council meeting of the proposed waterworks extension. BARRIE, ONT.-The ratepayers will

vote on a by law on the 18th inst. to provide \$15,000 for street and sidewalk improvements.

GANANOQUE, ONT The trustees of Grace church are making an effort to secure the necessary funds for enlarging the building.

PERTH, ONT.—Brick residences are being erected by M. Lapointe, Francis Davies, J. K. Affleck, Joseph Charles and John Charles.

CHATHAM, ONT. - The Hadley Lumber Co. will shortly erect new brick offices.— The plans of Mr. Oldershaw, architect, have been accepted by the School Board for the erection of a new school, to cost