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## NEW CITY BUILDINGS

Tenders addressed to the Chairman of the Board of Control, City Hall, Toronto, will be received, through registered post only, up to noon on

**WEDNESDAY, THE 16TH DAY OF FEBRUARY NEXT,**

for the following works and services in connection with the above mentioned buildings:

1. Hydraulic or Electric Elevators, with Electric Plant, Etc.
2. Marble Dado Work for Main Corridor.
3. Tile Flooring for Main Corridor.

Tenders must be marked on the outside, so as to show plainly for which of the above mentioned works they are put in.

Plans, specifications and forms of contract may be seen and forms of tender and all information obtained upon application at the office of E. J. Lennox, Architect, corner of King and Yonge streets, Toronto, on after Saturday, February 5th, 1898.

Each and every tender must be on the forms supplied by the architect, and be accompanied by a marked cheque equal to 2½ per cent. on the amount of the tender. Tenders must also bear the bona fide signatures of the party tendering and his sureties, and must comply in every particular with the terms of this advertisement and the specifications.

Should any person or persons whose tender is accepted fail to execute the necessary contract, and give security satisfactory to the City Treasurer for the due fulfilment thereof, his or their deposit will be forfeited to the city.

The deposits of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JOHN SHAW, Mayor,  
Chairman Board of Control.

Toronto, February 1st, 1898.



Tenders will be received by registered post only, addressed to the Chairman of the Board of Control, City Hall, Toronto, up to Noon on WEDNESDAY, 16th FEBRUARY, 1898, for the supply of

## PAVING BRICK

for the year ending December 31st, 1898.  
Contents of envelopes containing tenders must be plainly marked on outside.

Specifications may be seen and forms of tender obtained at the office of the City Engineer, Toronto, on and after Monday, February 7th, 1898.

A marked cheque, payable to the order of the City Treasurer, Toronto, for 5 per cent. of the amount tendered for up to \$1,000, and 2½ per cent. of the amount over that sum, must accompany each and every tender, otherwise it will be ruled out as informal.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JOHN SHAW, Mayor,  
Chairman Board of Control.

City Hall, February 1st, 1898.

### BUSINESS NOTES.

Hawes & Matchett, painting mill and builders, St. Thomas Ont., have dissolved, E. M. Matchett retiring and R. Sanders being admitted.

James H. Johnston and Leonard H. Johnston now comprise the firm of Johnston Bros., manufacturers of sash and doors, Knowlton, Que.

### IMPORTANT NOTICE

With the object of conveying information more promptly to subscribers, and thus increasing the value of the CONTRACT RECORD, it has been decided to change the publication day from Thursday to Wednesday of each week. Commencing with the issue of February 16th, the CONTRACT RECORD will be published

**EVERY WEDNESDAY MORNING.**

To ensure insertion in the current week's issue, advertisements and news items must reach the office of publication not later than TWO O'CLOCK ON TUESDAY, as the paper will go to press at 3 p. m. in the afternoon of that day.

Architects, Municipal Officers and others are asked to kindly note the above change, and to forward matter for publication in accordance therewith.

### CONTRACTS OPEN.

AUGHRIM, ONT.—A new English church will be erected here.

WALKERVILLE, ONT.—The Mayor is negotiating for the sale of debentures.

OSHAWA, ONT.—The council is advertising for a site for a market building.

NORMAN, MAN.—P. L'Heureux will build a new hotel here during the coming summer.

ALMONTE, ONT.—It is rumored that the C. P. R. station is to be replaced by a new structure.

GREENOCK, ONT.—John Brockie intends erecting a brick veneered residence next summer.

NELSON, B.C.—A by-law authorizing a loan of \$5,000 has been read the third time in council.

HARROW, ONT.—S. C. Zimmerman is preparing to put in a patent dry kiln at his lumber yard.

GLENBORO, MAN.—J. F. Fumerton & Co. have decided to build a large brick store next season.

RENFREW, ONT.—The town will rebuild the Cedar bridge on Lisgar street, at a cost of \$1,500.

WEST ZORRA, ONT.—Hugh McCorquodale intends building a new brick residence next summer.

ARDEN, ONT.—Rev. D. C. Day wants tenders for building a church. The date limit is February 12th.

DAUPHIN, MAN.—Steps will be taken at an early date to provide additional school accommodation.

WHITEWOOD, N. W. T.—An effort is being made to form a joint stock company to erect a stone concert hall.

WINDSOR, N. S.—There will be a number of stores and dwellings commenced as soon as the spring opens.

VANCOUVER, B. C.—It is the intention of the C. P. R. to enlarge several hotels along their line in the west.

CHESLEY, ONT.—The Presbyterian church trustees are erecting a Sunday school room, to cost \$4,500.

HAWKESBURY, ONT.—The Hawkesbury Lumber Company are rebuilding their saw mills which were burned recently.

CHATHAM, N. B.—The Maritime Sulphite Fibre Company contemplate building a short elevated electric road.

MERLIN, ONT.—A new block will be built in the spring on the site of the building now occupied by W. Guernacy.

BRUCEFIELD, ONT.—The Presbyterian church congregation are canvassing for funds for the erection of a Sunday school room.

NORTH GOWER, ONT.—Thos. Kerr, of Wellington, has purchased property on which he will erect a dwelling house and machine shop.

ST. MARYS, ONT.—The Road and Bridge Committee are having plans prepared for a steel bridge, with stone abut-