MARKETS and FINANCE

Saturday, May 16.—Central market was a little brighter this morning, a fair number of farmers being in and several market gardeners. There was a medium meat market early in the day, but, as there was a large demand for meats, especially beef, it rapidly thinned out. Geese have entirely disappeared. Poultry and dairy produce held firm with the exception of butter. Cooking butter dropped 3c, dairy butter went down 4c, and creamery butter declined 4c. Green stuff was plentiful. Spinach dropped 10c a bushel. Potatoes are very scarce and advanced 10c a bushel. To-day's ruling prices

Poultry and Dairy Produce.

Cooking Butter	0 25 to	0 00
Dairy Butter	0 28 to	0 30
Creamery Butter	0 30 to	0 32
Maple Syrup, quart, in sealers	0 40 to	0 45
Maple Syrup, gallon	1 25 to	1 40
Strawberries, quart, in sealer	0 35 to	0 00
Citron, quart, in sealer	0 30 to	0 00
Cheese, per lb.	0 18 to	0 20
Eggs, per doz.	0 18 to	0 22
Chickens, pair	1 00 to	1 50
Turkeys	0 18 to	0 00
Ducks, per pair	1 00 to	1 25
Maple Sugar, lb.	0 25 to	0 00

Fruits.

Apples, bush.	0 50 to	1 00
Apples, basket.	0 20 to	0 40

Vegetables.

Asparagus, bunch	0 10 to	0 00
Spinach, bush.	0 30 to	0 40
Lettuce, per bunch	0 05 to	0 06
Celery, per doz.	0 75 to	1 20
Potatoes, per bag	1 00 to	1 20
Turnips, basket	0 20 to	0 00
Cabbage, doz.	0 40 to	0 60
Beets, basket	0 30 to	0 00
Carrots, basket	0 25 to	0 00
Onions, large, basket	0 30 to	0 00
Green Onions, 6 for	0 05 to	0 00
Rhubarb, bunch	0 04 to	0 05
Radishes, bunch	0 05 to	0 00
Parsnips, basket	0 25 to	0 00
Cucumbers, each	0 15 to	0 20
Parsley, doz.	0 50 to	0 60
Haricot beans, quart	0 10 to	0 00
Tomatoes, pound	0 10 to	0 15
Artichokes, basket	0 30 to	0 00

Smoked Meats, Etc.

Bacon, sides, lb.	0 17 to	0 19
Bacon, backs, lb.	0 17 to	0 19
Hams, lb.	0 15 to	0 17
Shoulders, lb.	0 11 to	0 00
Lard	0 12 to	0 14
Cooked ham, lb.	0 25 to	0 30
Bologna, lb.	0 08 to	0 10
Pork Sausage, lb.	0 10 to	0 00
Frankfurts, lb.	0 08 to	0 10

Meats.

Beef, No. 1, cwt.	9 00 to	10 00
Beef, No. 2, per cwt.	7 00 to	8 50
Beef, No. 3, per cwt.	5 00 to	6 00
Live hogs, per cwt.	6 00 to	0 00
Dressed hogs	8 00 to	8 25
Veal, per cwt.	5 25 to	8 00
Mutton, per cwt.	8 00 to	12 00
Spring Lamb, each	5 00 to	7 00
Yearling	12 00 to	17 00

Fish.

Salmon Trout, lb.	0 15 to	0 00
White Fish, per lb.	0 15 to	0 00
Perch, lb.	0 10 to	0 00
Herring, lb.	0 10 to	0 00
Herring	30, 40, 50c doz.	
Halibut, lb.	0 20 to	0 00
Haddock, lb.	0 10 to	0 00
Pike, lb.	0 10 to	0 00
Cod, 2 lbs. for	0 25	
Eels	0 10 to	0 00
English Soles	0 15 to	0 15
Flounders	0 10 to	0 10

The Hide Market.

Wool, pound, washed	0 17 to	0 19
Wool, pound, unwashed	0 08 to	0 09
Calf skins, No. 1, pound	0 15 to	0 00
Calf skins, No. 2, pound	0 13 to	0 00
Calf skins, each	1 00 to	1 25
Sheep skins, each	0 90 to	1 15
Horse hides, each	1 50 to	2 50
Hides, No. 1, per lb.	5½ to	0 00
Hides, No. 2, per lb.	4½ to	0 00
Hides, flat	4½ to	0 00

Grain Market.

Barley, per bush.	0 58 to	0 60
Wheat, white, bush.	0 95 to	0 96
Do., red, bush.	0 95 to	0 95
Oats	0 54 to	0 54
Rye, bush.	0 75 to	0 75
Buckwheat	0 75 to	0 75

Hay and Wood.

Straw, per ton	9 00 to	10 00
Hay, per ton	14 00 to	16 00

Flowers.

Daffodil, each	0 15 to	0 20
Cineraria, each	0 25 to	0 50
Cyclamen, each	0 20 to	0 25
Obconaca, each	0 10 to	0 35
Mignonette, each	0 15 to	0 20
Primula, each	0 15 2 for	25
Genista, each	0 25 to	0 50
Hyacinths, each	0 10 to	0 15
Palm, each	1 00 to	1 50
Primrose, each	0 15 2 for	25
Lilac, each	1 50 to	1 50
Hyacinths, per pan	0 50 to	0 00
Easter Lily, each	0 75 to	1 00
Azalia, each	1 00 to	1 50
Calla Lily, each	0 50 to	0 60
Geraniums, each	0 10 to	0 15
Ferns, each	0 15 to	0 40
Wallflowers, each	0 25 to	0 00
Carnations, cut, doz.	0 30 to	0 50
Tulips, cut, doz.	0 35 to	0 40
Rhododendron, each	2 00 to	0 00
Marguerites, each	1 00 to	1 25
Roses, cut, doz.	0 60 to	1 00
Arteceria	1 50 to	0 00
Stocks	0 10 to	0 25
Drecina	0 40 to	0 50
Heliotrope	0 10 to	0 00
Fuchsias	0 10 to	0 15
Sweet Peas, bunch	0 05 to	0 00

TORONTO MARKETS.

FARMERS' MARKET."

The receipts of grain continue small. Wheat steady, one load of white selling at 91c, and barley unchanged, a load selling at 56c per bushel. Butter is lower.

Hay in limited supply, with sales of six loads at $17 a ton. One load of straw sold at $15 a ton.

Dressed hogs are unchanged. Light sold at $8.50, and heavy at $8.

Wheat, white, bush.	$ 0 97	$ 0 00
Do., red, bush.	0 97	0 00
Do., spring, bush.	0 93	0 94
Do., goose, bush.	0 93	0 00
Oats, bush.	0 52	0 53
Barley, bush.	0 55	0 00
Peas, bush.	0 90	0 00
Hay, timothy, ton	16 00	17 00
Do., mixed, ton	15 00	16 00
Straw, per ton	15 00	0 00
Dressed hogs	8 00	8 50
Eggs, new laid, doz.	0 18	0 20
Butter, dairy	0 26	0 30
Do., creamery	0 30	0 32
Chickens, year old, lb.	0 17	0 20
Fowl, per lb.	0 13	0 14
Apples, per barrel	1 50	2 50
Cabbage, per doz.	0 40	0 50
Onions, per bag	1 25	1 40
Potatoes, per bag	1 10	1 15
Beef, hindquarters	9 00	11 00
Do., forequarters	6 00	7 50
Do., choice, carcase	8 50	10 00
Do., medium, carcase	6 50	7 50
Mutton, per cwt.	9 00	10 50
Veal, prime, per cwt.	9 00	11 00
Lamb, per cwt.	14 00	15 00

SUGAR MARKETS.

St. Lawrence sugars are quoted as follows: granulated, $5 in barrels, and No. 1 golden, $4.60 in barrels. These prices are for delivery, car lots 5c less.

WINNIPEG WHEAT MARKETS.

Following are the closing quotations on Winnipeg grain futures:

Wheat—May $1.11½ bid, July $1.14½ bid.
Oats—May 46c bid, July 48c bid.

OTHER MARKETS.

BRITISH CATTLE MARKETS.

London—London cables for cattle are steady at 13c to 13¼c per pound, dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 11c to 11½c per pound.

NEW YORK SUGAR MARKET.

Suzar—Raw steady; fair refining, 3.86c; centrifugal, 96 test, 4.36c; molasses sugar, 3.61c, refined steady.

CHEESE MARKETS.

Napanee—On the cheese board here to-day, 554 white and 23 colored were offered; 11½c was bid for white, at which price sixty were sold; 10⅞c were offered for colored, with no sales. The selling was on the curb at the above prices.

FINANCIAL ITEMS.

National Lead declared the usual quarterly dividend on preferred stock.

Copper in London is 2s 6d lower to-day.

New York banks lost $7,553,000 through sub-treasury operations the last week.

Canadian wheat outlook very favorable.

Leading steel companies will hold price agreement.

Kansas City Southern will probably show 2½ per cent. for common after preferred dividend.

Pittsburg furnaces producing about fifty per cent. of normal, a slight increase over last month.

U. P. will earn more than 14 per cent. on common stock this year against nearly 18 per cent. last year.

Movement for general advance in freight rates abandoned.

Light demand for stocks in loan crowd.

Banks will continue to gain currency from the interior in June and July.

CANADIAN PRODUCE ABROAD.

Following are the special London cables to The Montreal Trade Bulletin under date of May 14:

Flour—The market is quiet at a decline of 3d; but the lower price fails to stimulate demand. Canadian spring patents quoted at 29s 6d to 30s 3d; seconds, 27s 6d to 28s.

Wheat—The market is quiet and 3d lower. Rosario Santa Fe May-June shipments 35s to 35s 1½d.

Oats—The market has declined 3d on liberal receipts of Argentine oats, but the lower price has stimulated demand. No Canadian offering.

Butter—The market is weak and 5s lower, owing to liberal home supplies. New Zealand 103s to 105s.

Cheese—The market is dull and is lower. Canadian 62s to 64s.

Bacon—The market is quiet after a drop of 4s, caused by heavy arrivals from Denmark. Canadian bacon 43s to 47s.

Hay—The market remains quiet. Some inquiry for Canadian.

FRUIT COMBINE.

The wholesale fruit and produce commission merchants of Toronto have formed themselves into "The Toronto Fruit and Produce Association." A few weeks ago they sent circulars to all the fruit growers west of Toronto to the effect that, owing to the high and increasing cost of handling goods and delivering them, a cartage charge was to be made to the shippers on all goods shipped and commission. The fruit growers regard these charges as unjust, and a representative meeting of the growers from Lorne Park, Clarkson, Oakville, Bronte, and Merton was held last week in Clarkson, when they passed a resolution and forwarded it to the Toronto Fruit and Produce Association, stating that they would not submit to the extra charges imposed on them, and that they would undertake to sell their own fruit f.o.b. at the stations if the charges were not taken off.

Bradstreet's Trade Review.

Montreal: The trade situation has shown little change here during the past week, although reports from the west garding the outlook are rather more encouraging. There is still considerable complaint on the score of collections. But many wholesalers say conditions are quite up to expectations in this regard. Money is exhibiting a slightly easier tendency, although there is still very little offering in the stock market. General industries are fairly busy. Labor troubles are not unusually prevalent for this time of the year. The bricklayers are out, demanding fifty cents an hour, and the strike against wage reduction is spreading in the cotton mill. Employers declare they have a good stock on hand and are in a good position to carry on the dispute.

Toronto: Business here moves along pretty well as it did a week ago. Continued favorable crop reports from all parts of the country are having effect upon trade sentiment, but as yet there has been only a slight increase in the volume of business. The wholesale trade shows some slight improvement in nearly all lines, but conservatism is still the order of the day. Dry goods men report the sorting trade as quiet. Summer orders are light and fall orders fair. Cottons were working lower, but on account of the strike they are showing a steadier tendency.

Winnipeg: General business continues to take confidence from favorable crop news. Well authenticated reports say the grain is well above the ground and is showing good condition.

Vancouver and Victoria: The volume of wholesale business continues on the light side. Retail trade is fair to good, and a better wholesale movement may be looked for shortly.

Quebec: Wholesale trade appears to be holding its own, and while country storekeepers are ordering cautiously, sales to date are fairly satisfactory, and in some quarters collections are easier than a week ago.

Hamilton: Business here holds a fairly steady tone. City and country retail trade is slightly more brisk, but wholesale trade shows little change. Local industries are moderately busy. Collections are in most cases slow. Country produce comes forward well. Prices are steady.

London: The general business feeling continues to improve, although there has been but little increase in the volume of orders coming forward.

Ottawa: There has been a better tone to trade here during the past week.

CAMPAIGN A WORRY.

Montague Smith's Reasons for Taking His Life.

Forest, May 15.—The letter left by Mr. Montague A. Smith, who committed suicide yesterday, addressed to his brother and Mr. Livingston, the accountant, has been made public. It is written in indelible ink and reads as follows:

"This will be a severe shock to you. The political campaign has been a worry to me. I feel that I have neither the mental capacity nor the tact to carry it through to a successful issue.

"The result must be only to bring disgrace on myself and the Liberals of East Lambton. The only way out is what I am about to do.

"At times, recurring every two or three months during the past three years I have had trouble to worry me all day and caused me to lose sleep at night.

"My business and personal affairs are as you two best know. Everything will be found in first class condition.

"This will be a terrible blow to my brothers and sisters, but there seems no other way out."

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MASTERLY SPEECH TO EAST ELECTORS.

(Continued from page 1.)

strong stand, believing that it would not only meet with the approval of his own party, but of the great independent vote, and appeal to every right thinking man. The political parties, he was sure, deplored the corruption that had been rampant in the Province in the past. The time had arrived when elections in this country should be restored to the purtiy that characterized the campaigns in the old land. It was a crying shame that men who refused to recognize the sacredness of the ballot should burk the will of the people. If the law was not sufficiently strong now, if the Legislature could pass legislation that would stop corruption it remained for the parties and their candidates to unite in uprooting the evil.

A Minister of Labor.

One of the most important features of Mr. McClemont's address was his clear cut stand on the labor question, and his reply to a question he was frequently asked during his canvass as to what his attitude was on the subject.

"I am proud," he said, "of the fact that I am the son of a mechanic; that I come of a laboring family, and one of many brothers who are mechanics and working men in the ranks of labor."

As a young solicitor his relation and business associations have been mostly with workingmen, and he had come to understand their wants. For thirteen years he had been a member of and closely connected with many fraternal societies, which were chiefly composed of laboring men. There was no better trustee of the workingman's money than the fraternal societies of the city, which threw a cloak of protection around the laboring man and his family.

"But my strongest claim is that I am a member of the Liberal party in this province, which has done more in the interests of labor than any political party in history to-day," he said. The statement was endorsed with cheers and applause. Mr. McClemont declared that no state or province on the continent had passed more laws for the protection of the workingman than did Ontario under the Liberal Government. The speaker recited many of the legislative measures enacted in the interests of labor. Not a single measure in labor's interests had been passed by the Whitney Government during the three years it was in office, while the Liberal Government had to its credit thirty-three acts, or one for every year. Mr. McClemont also referred to what the Dominion had done for labor.

"In view of these facts, and they are facts, if there is one class in our community which should loyally support our party and the Liberal policy and principle, it is the labor people of Ontario."

Mr. McClemont said he had read the literature distributed by Mr. Studholme, and was prepared to go much further in the interests of the labor people than was their representative, as indicated in his platform.

"I think the time has now arrived, and the interests of the labor people of such importance, that we should have in the Cabinet of Ontario a distinct Minister of Labor. I am going to take this step, that, no matter which party is elected, that it should have an active Minister of Labor in the Cabinet. This can be done without any extra expense. We have three ornamental Ministers in the Cabinet to-day, mere frills, and they are there at a very large expense to the people."

Mr. McClemont pointed out that the Government had increased these Cabinet Ministers' salaries $2,000, making $7,000 a year. He thought that $6,000 was quite sufficient remuneration for them. By taking one thousand dollars off each of them he would create the office of Minister of Labor, without a single dollar of extra expense to the people of Ontario.

The License Law.

Dealing with the liquor license law enforcement, the speaker said that this was a subject on which every man had his own views. Touching on Mr. Whitney's re-election promises, he said, "If ever the independent electors and the great temperance body of this country saw a Government attain power on false pretences and a flagrant breach of trust to the people, it was the Whitney Government."

He compared the promises with the fulfilment. Mr. Whitney, he believed, had good intentions starting out, but could not overcome the influence against him. He referred to Toronto as an example, and the more recent illustration of Port Arthur, where Joseph Graham, chairman of the Board of License Commissioners, had admitted that he had received a bribe of $250 in connection with the transfer of a license.

"Here is my policy," said the candidate. "We have had the administration of the act in the hands of municipal councils, in the past, and the act was administered in the interest of one political party. Liberals took it away, and tried to have it administered by a Minister of the Government. Whitney has endeavored to enforce it in the same manner, and failed to satisfy the people any better than the old Government.

"If we have a liquor license act it should be properly enforced. Every fair minded man will concede that. It should be enforced in fairness and justice to the man who holds and pays for the license. I believe that the liquor license law should be administered by an independent commission, a judicial commission it might be called, composed of the sheriff of the county, the County Judge and the High Court clerk, men bound to a position in life above public opinion, party prejudices and influence. I hold that these three men would be able to administer the law regardless of fear or favor, on merits and deal out true justice as with any civil or criminal case. I believe that this is an administration that would be eminently satisfactory to the liquor men and to the great temperance body."

Mr. McClemont did not know whether his leader took the same stand on this, but he was prepared to stand by it.

Regarding the three-fifths clause, Mr. McClemont said that he considered it was unjust, un-Canadian and un-British. As long as the law was fearlessly and honestly enforced he did not think it made any difference as to what the majority might be. He showed the disadvantages of the three-fifths clause, empowering the minority to rule if the other side fell short one vote of the number required.

An Autocratic Government.

The Government majority, Mr. McClemont declared, was far too large, and the ranks of the Opposition far too small. Mr. Whitney had a majority of 42, and the Opposition only numbered 26. This was not conducive to good government for the people of Ontario, because it was necessary to have an aggressive watch dog opposition. Large majorities made Governments autocratic and intoxicated them with power. Twenty, he was sure, was sufficient of a working majority.

That Last Week.

Mr. Whitney's pre-election pledges of his faith in the great democracy had not been fulfilled in any particular. The candidate made a slashing attack on the gerrymander, the guaranteeing of railway bonds in the dying hours of the session and the famous La Rose mine deal. These acts he considered had done more to doom the Government than any of its actions during the time it had held office. These measures dealt with in the last hours of the session looked very much like the establishment of a political purity fund. If the Government was honest in this, why had the measures been rushed through without giving the press and Opposition time to criticise them.

It was paving the way, he thought, for a large "purity fund" for the coming campaign in Ontario. These suspicions he considered were confirmed by the exposure at North Bay and the charges made that $10,000 was offered the registrar there if Mr. Cochrane was not opposed. Mr. McClemont exposed this deal. Was this not evidence of some of the $130,000 leaking out?

Province's Finances.

Mr. McClemont, dealing with the Province's finances, showed that to the Liberals was due the credit for the position the Province occupied, and that there would really be a deficit were it not for the increased revenue, for which the Whitney Government deserved no credit. He referred to the increase of 240 per cent. in law costs under the Whitney administration, and the government by commissions, with the large expense to the people.

Normal College Steal.

In a slashing attack on the Government's bungling of the educational system, Mr. McClemont referred to the deal Hamilton was given on the Normal College. It was taken away, notwithstanding the protests of Liberals and Conservatives, depriving Hamilton of an institution of which it was justly proud.

Mr. McClemont declared that everywhere in his canvass he was meeting with the greatest encouragement.

This is Good Logic.

P. F. Griffin also spoke briefly, showing how the Conservatives in their infamous gerrymander had broken down something it had taken the Liberals years to establish, that one man in one part of the country had as much right to the franchise as any other man in any other part of the country. By giving Toronto two members from each riding, a voter in Toronto had two votes. This destroyed the very thing the Liberals had fought for years to build up.

Mr. Griffin also dealt trenchantly with the three-fifths clause. It was not only as it affected the temperance question that people should be interested, because if the recognized form of majority rule was to be abolished, might it not also be done in questions affecting the labor market and other departments?

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GUILTY ON ONE COUNT,

But Dr. E. M. Cook Not Guilty on Second Count.

Toronto, May 16.—"Guilty on the second count, namely, unlawfully operating for an unlawful purpose," was the verdict of the jury in the charge against Dr. Edgar M. Cook, who has been on trial at the Sessions before Judge Winchester for several days.

The bail was renewed and argument for a reserved case will be heard today.

His Honor's charge to the jury was strongly against the defence. "You must consider the motives," he said, "and you have heard the evidence of Miss Reed. Now what motive could she have to swear to falsehoods to convict this man, whom she says she never saw before she went to Mrs. Johns'?" His Honor commented pointedly upon the statement of Mrs. Johns that Dr. Cook was her landlord and he told the jury to draw their own conclusions as to what this might indicate. "Why did not the doctor ask the girl about her symptoms, as it is proved he did not? Why did he tell Mrs. Johns that they were both liable to get into trouble? Why did he make this statement if there was nothing improper? Why all the secrecy about a simple examination, as the defence contends it was?

THE WINNIPEG LISTS.

Dominion Government Has Power to Make Them Now.

Winnipeg, May 15.—Despatches from Ottawa indicate the possibility of an immediate dissolution of Parliament as the result of the present deadlock between the parties. If there should be an election it will probably be a surprise to the Local Government to learn that the Dominion Government, under the law as it exists, will have the right to make lists in the city of Winnipeg and the city of Brandon.

LONDON GIRL KILLED.

Miss Sarah Rowed Struck by Train at a Crossing.

London, Ont., May 15.—Sarah Rowed, daughter of Mrs. Margaret Rowed, of Princess avenue, was instantly killed here to-night at the Egerton street crossing. She was driving across in a buggy, saw the cars approaching, became excited, and jumped directly in the path. The cars ran over her. The body was mangled beyond recognition.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE MATTER of the estate of David Edwards, late of the city of Hamilton, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all persons having any claims or demands against the late David Edwards, who died on or about the 23rd day of March, 1908, at Hamilton, in the Province of Ontario, are required to send by post prepaid or to deliver to the undersigned solicitor herein for the executor and executrix under the will of the said David Edwards, their names and addresses and full particulars in writing of their claims and statements of their accounts and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them.

And take notice that after the 4th day of June, 1908, the said executor and executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice, and that the said executor and executrix will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any persons of whose claims they shall not then have received notice.

Dated at Hamilton the 4th day of May, 1908.

W. M. McClemont, executor, and Lucinda Edwards, executrix.

H. H. BICKNELL,
Solicitor for the executor and executrix.

In the Surrogate Court of the County of Wentworth

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF WILLIAM ALBERT GIBB, DECEASED.

Take notice that all parties claiming to be creditors of William Albert Gibb, late of the City of Hamilton, in the County of Wentworth, merchant, carrying on business as the W. A. Gibb Company, are required to file particulars of their claims, with affidavit verifying the same, with the undersigned, on or before the first day of June, 1908, after which date the executors will proceed to distribute the estate, having regard only to the claims of creditors of which they then have notice.

Dated April 30th, 1908.

NESBITT, GAULD & DICKSON,
Canada Life Chambers, Hamilton,
Solicitors for Executors.

Notice to Creditors

Pursuant to R. S. O., 1897, cap. 129, all creditors of Charles F. Lenz, late of the City of Hamilton, in the County of Wentworth, whip manufacturer, deceased, who died on or about the 28th day of October, 1907, are required on or before the 30th day of May, 1908, to send to the undersigned full particulars of their claims, after which date the estate will be distributed, having regard only to those claims of which notice shall then have been received.

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Solicitor for the Executors of said deceased.
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NOTE.—Anyone wishing to see the "TIMES" can do so at the above address.

The close season for bass in Ontario has been fixed by Dominion order in Council from April 15 to June 15, both days inclusive.

West Toronto Liberals on Friday nominated Geo. Miles for A and J. B. Hay for B constituencies respectively.

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TENDERS addressed to the undersigned at Ottawa, in sealed envelopes and marked on the envelopes "Tender for New Cruiser for British Columbia," will be received up to the

FIRST DAY OF MAY NEXT

for the construction of a twin screw steel Cruiser for Fisheries Protection Service in British Columbia waters, of the following leading dimensions, namely, length over all 250 feet, breadth of beam moulded 32 feet and depth from top of keel plate to top of beams at side 17 feet, and to be delivered at Victoria, B. C.

Plans and specifications of this steamer can be seen at the Department of Marine and Fisheries, Ottawa, at the offices of the Collectors of Customs at Toronto, Hamilton, Collingwood, Midland, Vancouver and Sydney, N. S., and at the agencies of the Department of Marine and Fisheries at Montreal, Quebec, St. John, N. B., Halifax, N. S., and Charlottetown, P. E. I.

The same plans and specifications can be procured by application from the Department of Marine and Fisheries up to the first day of May next and at the agency of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, Victoria, B. C.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque equal to 10% of the whole amount of the tender, which cheque will be forfeited if the person sending the accepted tender declines to enter into a contract with the Department or fails to complete the steamer. Tenders on letter paper will be considered.

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

Newspapers copying this advertisement without authority from the Department will not be paid.

F. GOURDEAU,
Deputy Minister of Marine and Fisheries.
Ottawa, Canada, 14th March, 1908.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for St. Andrew's Rapids, Works, Man.," will be received at this office until 4.30 p. m. on Wednesday, July 8, 1908, for the construction of movable dam, steel service and highway bridge, repair shop, etc. at St. Andrew's Rapids, Red River, Province of Manitoba.

Plans and specifications can be seen at this department; at the offices of Mr. A. R. Dufresne, resident engineer of the department at Winnipeg; Mr. J. G. Sing, Resident engineer, Confederation Life Building, Toronto; Mr. C. Desjardins, clerk of works, Post Office, Montreal, and Mr. Ph. Beland, clerk of works, Post Office, Quebec. Form of tender can also be obtained at the above mentioned places.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed form supplied, and signed with their actual signatures.

The contractor will be required to conform to regulations to be made by the Governor General in Council, respecting the accommodation, medical treatment and sanitary protection of the working men employed on the work.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank, made payable to the order of the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent. (10 p. c.) of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.

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By order,
FRED. GELINAS,
Secretary.
Department of Public Works.
Ottawa, May 8, 1908.

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NOTICE

Tenders for Building Fisheries Cruiser for British Columbia.

The time for receiving tenders for the British Columbia Fishery Cruiser will be extended from the first of May until the first of June next.

F. GOURDEAU,
Deputy Minister of Marine and Fisheries.
Ottawa, April 22nd, 1908.

Auction Sale of Timber Berth
Dokis Indian Reserve

THERE will be offered for sale by public auction, at an upset price, in the Russell House, in the city of Ottawa, on Wednesday, the 24th day of June, 1908, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon, timber berths numbered 1 to 8, inclusive, covering the pine timber of nine inches in diameter and over at the stump and no other, on the whole of the Dokis Indian Reserve situate on the French River in the Province of Ontario.

Each limit will be offered separately at a bonus, ten per cent. of which to be paid in cash on day of sale and notes to be given for the remainder, payable in three, six and nine months, at the Bank of Montreal, in the City of Ottawa, with interest at six per cent., in addition to Crown dues at the rate of $2.00 per M. feet B.M., and $50.00 per M. feet C.M., an annual ground rent of $24.00 and a license fee of $4.00, the cash payment to be forfeited upon failure to pay the balance of bonus within the time above mentioned.

The licenses will be issued in due course after payment of notes above specified, and will be renewable yearly upon compliance with all conditions thereof for a period of ten years and no long