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## TO BUILDERS

Tenders will be received at my office until **TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 22ND**, for the erection of a Pair of Houses on Bedford Road.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

**S. H. TOWNSEND, Architect,**  
15 Gerrard St. E., Toronto.

## TENDERS

FOR

### Cast Iron Water Pipe

FOR CITY OF ST. JOHN, N. B.

Tenders will be received by the "Board of Management" of the Department of Public Works, at their office, in the city of St. John, until **FRIDAY, THE FIRST DAY OF APRIL, 1898**, at 12 o'clock, noon:

For the supplying of about 2,116 tons of best quality 24 and 12 inch Cast Iron Water Pipe, according to the specification and drawings prepared by Wm. Murdoch, Esq., C.E., Engineer and Superintendent S. and W. Supply, copies of which specification may be had on application to the director.

Tenders must be made on forms furnished by the department.

The board do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

Each tender must be accompanied by a certified bank cheque or deposit of money amounting to five hundred dollars (\$500), said amount to be forfeited should the party to whom the pipe is awarded decline to enter into contract; and a further deposit equal to five (5) per centum on the estimated full value of contract at prices named in bid, will be required to be made on entering into contract, this deposit to be forfeited should the party receiving the contract refuse to proceed therewith, or fail to complete the work as required by specification and drawings.

**A. CHIPMAN SMITH, Director.**

Board of Management, Department of Public Works,  
St. John, N.B., Feb'y 4, 1898.

## TOWN ENGINEER WANTED

Good opening for a Civil Engineer in the town of Waterloo. Apply to

**A. B. McBRIDE**  
Town Clerk.

## TO CONTRACTORS—TENDERS

Tenders will be received until 5 p. m. on **THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 24th**, for the whole of the several trades required in the erection of

### A DETACHED BRICK RESIDENCE

on the east side of Walmer Road for John A. McKee, Esq. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Plans and specifications may be seen and all information obtained at the office of the undersigned.

**F. H. HERBERT, Architect,**  
9 Toronto Street, Toronto.

## TENDERS FOR STEEL BRIDGE

Tenders will be received by the undersigned till 3 o'clock p.m. **FEBRUARY 23RD**, and opened at 10 a.m. **FEBRUARY 24TH**, at Tara, for the erection of a Steel Bridge, 100 ft. c. to c. of end pins; roadway 18 ft. clear, one sidewalk 6 ft. wide; moving load, 120 lbs. sq. foot.

Also for about 100 cubic yards Masonry, quarry stone, rock finish, to be built with Cement Mortar. State price per cubic yard.

Bridge about 50 yards from railway siding. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. A cheque for \$200, marked good payable to the Treasurer of County of Bruce, to be sent with each tender.

Further information may be had from James Warren, Engineer, Walkerton, or from the undersigned.

**ANDREW FREEBORN,**

Invermay.

Tara, Feb. 3rd, 1898.



## NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

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, MARCH 2ND, 1898**, for the following works:

### MACADAM ROADWAYS

On Harbord Street, from St. George Street to Huron Street.

On Davenport Road, from Yonge Street to Hazleton Avenue.

### CEDAR BLOCK PAVEMENT

On Arthur Street, from Euclid Avenue road to Bathurst Street.

Plans and specifications may be seen and forms of tender obtained at the office of the City Engineer, Toronto, on and after Monday, February 21st, 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 15th, 1898.

## TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed tenders, addressed to the undersigned, will be received until noon on **WEDNESDAY, THE 2ND OF MARCH, 1898**, for the following work:

1. For building a Howe Truss Bridge, with pile piers and abutments, over the River Thames between Middlesex and Elgin Counties, at the site known as the Coyne Road bridge. This work consists of one span 160 feet, one span 36 feet, and one span 37 feet long, all in the clear.

2. For building two concrete abutments for the Lang bridge on the County line between Middlesex and Elgin.

3. For building two concrete abutments for the Robbins Bridge in the Township of Southwold.

Plans and specifications for the above works can be seen and blank forms of tender obtained at the office of the undersigned.

A certified cheque for the amount stated in the specification, and made payable to the treasurer of the County of Elgin, must accompany each tender.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

**JAS. A. BELL,**  
County Engineer, Elgin.

St. Thomas, Feb. 14th, 1898.

## BUSINESS NOTES.

A. W. M. Kelly, contractor, Montreal, is reported to have assigned.

It is reported that Mr. Tetu will resign his position as city engineer of Hull, Que.

Bulmer & Bulmer, contractors, Westmount, Que., have dissolved partnership.

Smith & McKay, contractors, Fort Steele, B.C., have dissolved partnership, Mr. Smith continuing.

## 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.