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Tenders for Fittings **NEW CITY BUILDINGS**

Separate tenders will be received, by regutered post only, addressed to the Chairman of the Board of Control, City Hall, Toronto, up to noon on

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 8TH, 1898,

for the Office Fittings, including Counters, Partitions, etc., required for the City Engineer's, Street Commissioner's, Medical Health, Park Commissioner's, City Treasurer's, Waterworks, City Commissioner's, City Clerk's and City Solicitor's departments in the new City Buildings, as follows:

- z. For Carpenter's and Joiner's Work.
- 2. For Oil Finishing, Varnishing and Glazing Work.

Plans and specifications and forms of city contract may be seen, and forms of tender and all necessary information may be obtained upon application at the office of Mr. E. J. Lennox, Architect, corner of King and Yonge streets, Toronto, on and after Thursday next, the 1st prox.

Tenders must be on forms supplied by the architect and be accompanied by a marked cheque or cash deposit equal to 2½ per cent. on the amount thereof. Tenders must also bear the bin as fide signatures of the party tendering and his sureties, and must comply in every particular with the terms of the advertisement.

Shou'd any person or persons whose tender is accepted fail to give security satisfactory to the City Treaturer for the due fulfilment thereof, his or their deposit will be forfeited to the city.

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JOHN SHAW (Mayor). Chairman Board of Control.

City Hall, Toronto, Nov. 25th, 1898.

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NEW CITY BUILDINGS

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

Wednesday, Dec. 7th, 1898,

for Window Blinds, including Fittings, Erecting, etc. complete, for the new City Buildings.

Each tenderer will be required to send in a sample or samples of blinds proposed, along with their own specifications (which are to be typewritten); said samples and specifications will be submitted to Mr. E. J. Lennox, Architect, for approval as to completeness and quality of work and adaptability for the building.

Each tenderer will be required to include in his estimate (which must be a lamp sum) the work of supplying and erecting the blinds for the whole of the window throughout the building on the ground, first, second, third, fourth and attic floors, including all gable, dormer and tower-room windows.

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CONTRACTS OPEN.

SHELBURNE, N.S.-Mr. Bower is preparing to erect a trunk factory.

BURLINGTON, ONT .- R. G. Baxter will probably erect a new flour mill.

GUELPH, ONT.—The purchase of a hook and ladder truck has been decided upon by the city council.

ABBOTTSFORD, B. C .- Tenders have been taken on the erection of a municipal hall. John Ball is clerk.

WHITE LAKE, ONT.—The new Presbyterian church to be built here next spring will cost about \$2,400.

COBOURG, ONT .- J. B. McColl, of the Columbia Hotel, contemplates building a large addition at an early date.

RAT PORTAGE, ONT .- The congregation of Notre Dame church have decided to procure new hardwood pews.

PETERBORO', ONT.—There is some

talk of an electric railway being structed to the neighboring villages.

ARTHUR, ONT.—It is stated that the II amount has been subscribed for building a new Presbyterian church.

HARTLAND, N. B.—A committee has been appointed to procure plans for a new school house, to be built immediately.

CHATHAM, N.B. - Mr. Coffin, C.E., will shortly submit to the town council plans for waterworks and sewerage systems.

COLLINGWOOD, ONT.—The question of improving the harbor is under consideration by the council and Board of Trade.

OWEN SOUND, ONT .- J. C. Forster, architect, has just taken tenders on the erection of a residence for A. W. Ford.

ORWELL COVE, P. E. I.—Tenders are asked by Neil A. Gillis up to December 15th for the building of a school house here.

INGERSOLL, ONT .- A special committee has recommended to the town council that a fire hall be erected, at a cost of \$2,500.

WINDSOR, N.S.—A public meeting has been called to consider the question of purchasing an electric plant for street lighting.

ANCASTER, ONT.—B. J. Guest is considering a proposal to utilize the water of a creek near here for the development of electricity.

WATERLOO, ONT .- A. Bauer, of the Waterloo shoddy mills, will probably build an addition to his factory in the near future.

TRURO, N. S.-A proposition to build a pulp mill at Farm Lake is believed to be under consideration. Truro capitalists are interested.

ST. THOMAS, ONT.-Jas. A. Bell, city engineer, wants tenders by Friday, December and, for constructing a sewer on Owaissa street.

SIMCOE, ONT.—At the forthcoming municipal elections a plebis-ite will be taken on the erection of a house of refuge for the county of Grey.

PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE, MAN. - The Dominion Elevator Company contemplate erecting a drying machine in connection with their elevators here.

SHERBROOKE, QUE. - Tenders for lighting the streets by electricity are invited by C. W. Cate, chairman Lighting Committee, up to December 15th.

BANCROFT, ONT .- The municipality will be asked to vote a bonus of \$2,500 for a branch of the Central Ontario Railway from Ormsby to this place.

GALT, ONT .- The council has decided to submit a by-law to the ratepayers on December 17th to raise \$67,750 to purchase the gas and electric light plants.

CHATHAM, ONT .- It is the intention of W. H. Tyghe, whose evaporator works were recently seriously damaged by fire, to erect a substantial brick structure next