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Head Office for Canada, Toronto

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For information apply to  
D. W. ALEXANDER,  
Gen'l Manager for Canada.

## CITY OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA

### Tenders for Debentures

Sealed tenders endorsed "Tenders for Debentures" will be received at the office of the undersigned up to 12 noon on Monday, the 14th day of May, 1900, for the purchase of Debentures of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, B.C., amounting to \$200,000 or its sterling equivalent at the rate of \$4.863 to the one pound sterling in sums of \$1,600 or its sterling equivalent as aforesaid, payable in 25 years from 1st April, 1900, and bearing interest from that date at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum, payable half-yearly, with principal and interest as aforesaid at the office of the Bank of British North America, either in London, England, New York, Montreal, or Victoria, B.C. The tenderer must state the price net at Victoria which he will pay.

In addition to the net price the purchaser will have to pay the Corporation the interest at four per cent. from 1st April, 1900, to whatever date the money is received by the City Treasurer.

The above debentures are issued under authority of "The Point Ellice Bridge Accident Loan By-Law," and principal and interest secured by a rate on all rateable land and improvements in the Corporation of the City of Victoria.

The Corporation does not bind itself to accept any tender.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,  
City Clerk.

City Hall, Victoria, B. C.,  
28th March, 1900.

## To the Stove and Hardware Trade

We are in a position to furnish stove repairs for the following makes of stoves  
**Grand Universal Range, Universal, Premium Universal, Prize Universal, Home Universal, [Elegant] (formerly made by J. M. Williams & Co.), Brilliant, Brilliant Range & Cook, Foster Candy Furnace, Derby (formerly made by Harte-Smith Mfg. Co.), Splendid and Diamond, (formerly made by the Toronto Stove Co.) and for all makes of Jno. Findlay & Sons' stoves. Also for all kinds bearing our name.**

**WM. CLENDINNENG & SON**  
Ste. Cuneo, de,  
MONTREAL, QUEBEC

It must be seven or eight years since Henry Ward failed as a grocer in Stratford. He took a position as clerk for some time, and recently thought he would try again on his own account. Accordingly, he started in a small way. As he finds he cannot meet competition, he this week makes an assignment.

In March last, a meeting of the creditors of Rodgers & Ray, dealers in clothing, etc., at Rat Portage, was held. Not being able to arrange a settlement with creditors, the firm have found an assignment necessary. Three years ago they started with \$3,000, but appear to have been overtrading.

So anxious are Berlin people to have the Port Dover, Brantford, Berlin and Goderich railway that a score of manufacturers who have been exempted from taxation have signed a petition asking that municipal aid be granted to the road, and agreeing to pay their share of the necessary taxation.

The secretary-treasurer of the Kinleith Paper Co., Mr. L. P. Snyder, sends us an advertisement of the sale by auction of the roller process flouring machinery used in the Norris mills at St. Catharines. The sale will be held on the 25th inst., and the fact is pointed out that railways will issue tickets, good going on the 24th and returning next day, at single fare.

An assignment has been made by J. F. Rogers, wholesale pork and provision dealer, Toronto. He has been in business about fifteen years, and had thus far apparently paid his way. Indeed, it is scarcely a year since he claimed a surplus of nearly \$10,000.—The stock of the Colonial Clothing Co. has been sold to Thomas Woodhouse. The assets of the Twentieth Century Churn Co., Limited, are advertised for sale to-day.

It was reported last week that the fire at Grand Mere had destroyed all the great modern works of the pulp company there. This is not the case, as we learn from a Montreal despatch of Monday last, which is said to be official: The fire did not go beyond the old mechanical pump building and some minor structures. The new and very expensive works of the company were not injured. The fire will involve a stoppage in the manufacture of paper of about 12 days, and the loss is about \$80,000, mostly covered by insurance.

Sixty typewriting machines of the newest and best methods represent a nice little sum of money. The investment of the required amount has been made, we are told, by Mr. W. H. Shaw, principal of the Central Business College, Toronto, in behalf of the young people who attend his school, by purchasing fifty new Underwood machines and ten samples of other standard kinds. It is claimed that this college is the first Canadian school to adopt the Touch method of typewriting, which requires a scientific fingering of the key-board, and the use of all fingers of each hand. Under the direction of a special teacher, the students in this school need not fail to become expert typewriters.

60 Seconds make a Minute.  
60 Minutes make an Hour, but

## 60 Typewriting Machines

make the finest equipment in Canada for producing expert operators. The

## Central BUSINESS COLLEGE TORONTO

has that equipment, and besides has the largest staff of expert Teachers employed in any Canadian Business School. This College is open every month in the year, and students may enter any time and qualify for business positions on short notice. Special Summer Term from July 3rd. Catalogue free.

W. H. SHAW, Principal.

## BANKERS

From the following list our readers can ascertain the names and addresses of bankers who will undertake to transact a general agency and collection business in their respective localities:

### ONTARIO

**ACTON**, Halton County, **STORIE, CHRISTIE & CO.**

**ALSA CRAIG**, Middlesex County. **JOS. ROSSER**

**ALLISTON**, Simcoe County. **GRAHAM & KNIGHT.**

**AMHERSTBURG**, Essex County. **THE CUDDY-FALLS CO.**

**ARKONA**, Lambton County. **JOSEPH WILCOX.**

**MEAFORD**—Grey County. **C. H. JAY & CO'Y.** Bankers, Financiers and Canadian Express Co. Agents. Money to loan.

### NORTH-WEST TERRITORIES

**WAPELLA**, Assiniboia, N. W. T. **R. A. PEASE & CO.** (with Branch Office at Moosomin, N. W. T.)

### J. E. EVANS.

Commercial Customs Broker and Forwarding Agent, **VANCOUVER, B.C.** Reliable information relating to any part of **British Columbia** promptly furnished. Customs work attended to with despatch.

### F. J. LUMSDEN,

Accountant, Auditor, Assignee, and General Agent. Accounts investigated and collected. Prompt returns guaranteed. Room 11, Inns of Court Building, **VANCOUVER, B.C.** References furnished.

**GEORGE F. JEWELL, F.C.A.**, Public Accountant and Auditor. Office, 361 Dundas Street, London, Ont.

**COUNTIES** Grey and Bruce collections made on commission, lands valued and sold, notices served. A general financial business transacted. Leading loan companies, lawyers and wholesale merchants given as references

H. H. MILLER, Hanover

### "WINNIPEG CITY."

## WALTER SUCKLING & CO.

Real Estate Agents and Managers

Deal in city property exclusively. Manage over 500 tenants. Money to loan on favorable terms. Fifteen years' experience

**WINNIPEG, MAN.**

### JOHN RUTHERFORD,

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Licensed Auctioneer for County of Grey.

Lands valued and sold; Notices served; Fire, Life and Plate Glass Insurance; several factory and mill-sites in good locations to dispose of Loans effected Best of references.

## For Sale or to Let

That valuable property situated in the Town of Wiarton, formerly occupied by the Wiarton Woollen Mills Company; equipped with a full set of machinery for manufacturing yarns, blankets, flannels, etc.; the best location in Ontario for custom work. Apply to

**JAMES SYMON,**  
Box 64, Wiarton

## To Manufacturers

Wanted by a manufacturers' agent calling on the dry goods and furnishing trade, a good selling line to handle on commission. Apply Box 469, Monetary Times.

## Business Opportunity

WANTED—Competent office man for financial company now being organized. Must be able to introduce part capital. Reply fully, stating terms, etc., to P. O. Box 514, Winnipeg, Man.