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## TO BRICKMAKERS

The Corporation of the Town of Collingwood require from 250,000 to 300,000 sidewalk bricks. Tenders for the same, f.o.b. Collingwood, will be received by the undersigned up till noon on Tuesday, May 12, 1896. Specimen bricks to accompany each tender. The Corporation do not bind themselves to accept any tender.

JOHN HOGG,  
Town Clerk.

April 21, 1896



## Notice to Contractors

### Tenders for Repairing Asphalt Pavements

Tenders will be received by registered post only, addressed to the Chairman of the Board of Control, City Hall, Toronto, up to 5 o'clock p.m. on THURSDAY, MAY 7TH, 1896, for

### REPAIRS TO ASPHALT PAVEMENTS

Specifications may be seen and forms of tender obtained at the office of the City Engineer, Toronto, on and after Thursday, April 30th, 1896.

A deposit in the form of a marked cheque, payable to the order of the City Treasurer, for the sum of 5 per cent. on the value of the work tendered for up to \$1,000 and 2 1/2 per cent. on the value of the work tendered for over that amount, must accompany each and every tender, otherwise they will not be entertained.

Tenders must bear the bona fide signature of the contractor and his sureties, or they will be ruled out as informal.

Lowest and tender not necessarily accepted.

DANIEL LAMB,  
Chairman Committee on Works.

R. J. FLEMING,  
Chairman Board of Control.  
Toronto, April 22, 1896.

## Township of Toronto

### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Tenders addressed to Wm. Cook, Esq., Clerk of the Township of Toronto, Cooksville, Ont., will be received by him up to 2 o'clock p.m. of SATURDAY, APRIL 25th, 1896, for the construction of

### TWO STONE ABUTMENTS FOR A STEEL BRIDGE

over the River Credit at the Village of Meadowvale in the Township of Toronto.

Plans and specifications may be seen and all necessary information obtained at the Clerk's office, or at the office of the undersigned, Court House, Toronto. A bond for the due execution of the work will be required. The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

By order,

JAS. McDUGALL, C. E., Engineer,  
Court House, Toronto.

## SEWERS

### NIAGARA FALLS, CANADA

Sealed proposals will be received by the Sewer Committee of the Town of Niagara Falls, Canada, until 12 O'CLOCK NOON, WEDNESDAY, 13TH DAY OF MAY, 1896, for the furnishing of all the materials and doing all the work necessary for the complete construction of Sections No. 1 and 2 of the Niagara Falls sewerage system.

The works to be built under these sections, and approximate quantities of the same, are as follows:

#### SECTION No. 1:—

About 2404 feet of 36 in x 48 in Brick Sewer (in part rock excavation), with appurtenances. Two outlets into the Niagara gorge and river, consisting of shafts and tunnels in rock, pipes and chambers, etc.

#### SECTION No. 2:—

About 2431 feet of 18 in. sewer pipe,  
 " 1323 " 15 in. "  
 " 3391 " 12 in. "  
 " 2597 " 10 in. "  
 " 6233 " 8 and 9 in. sewer pipe,  
 including all rock excavation and appurtenances.

A separate proposal must be made for each section and each proposal must be accompanied by a certified cheque for two thousand dollars (\$2,000) payable to the Treasurer of the Town of Niagara Falls, said cheque to be returned to the person making the proposal unless he fail to execute the contract, should it be awarded him.

A bond for an amount equal to forty (40) per cent. of the estimated total cost of the construction of each section will be required by the Town of Niagara Falls for the faithful performance of the same, and the successful bidder for each section, before being awarded the contract, must appear before the Mayor with approved sureties for this purpose. A certificate signed by the sureties must accompany each proposal.

Proposals shall be enclosed in sealed envelopes and addressed "The Sewer Committee, Town of Niagara Falls, Ontario, care John Robinson, Clerk, and endorsed "Proposal for Section . . . Niagara Falls Sewerage System," (No. 1 or 2 as the case may be).

Plans, profiles and drawings may be seen, and specifications, forms of proposal, etc., contract, etc., may be obtained at the office of the Engineer, Bridge Street, Niagara Falls, Canada, on and after Saturday, April 25th, 1896.

The Sewer Committee reserves the right to reject, or to recommend to be rejected, any or all proposals.

CHARLES C. COLE, Mayor.  
WILLIAM COLE, Chairman of Com.  
A. W. MARTIN, Sec etary.

CHARLES H. MITCHELL,  
Engineer.

## CEMENT WALKS

Sealed tenders addressed to the Town Clerk, Berlin, will be received up to noon of the

28th Day of April, 1896,

for the construction of Cement Walks, to be laid by the Town of Berlin in 1896.

Specifications and forms of tender may be obtained from the Town Engineer.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

HERBERT J. BOWMAN, Town Engineer. J. HALTZ, Chairman Board of Works.

### CONTRACTS OPEN.

WESTVILLE, N. S.—A company is being formed to erect a machine shop.

SHELBURNE, ONT.—George Hill will erect a brick building this summer.

COATICOOK, QUE.—A. Patenaude will build a dwelling house on the Barford road.

BARRIE, ONT.—A site has been purchased on which a parsonage will be erected.

BRANDON, MAN.—D. W. Beaubier intends shortly to erect a new hotel building.

PORT DOVER, ONT.—The Methodists are considering the advisability of building a new church.

ROCKPORT, ONT.—The foundation has been prepared for the new English church to be erected here.

MITCHELL, ONT.—The congregation of Trinity church will erect a rectory during the coming summer.

PILOT MOUND, MAN.—The English church congregation have selected a site for their new church.

WINCHESTER, ONT.—The ratepayers have petitioned the village council for a grant of \$1,500 for fire appliances.

ST. AMELEN, QUE.—The Quebec central bridge crossing the St. Frances river has been swept away by floods.

DARTMOUTH, N. S.—The Dominion government will be memorialized to provide railway terminal facilities at this point.

KINGSTON, ONT.—Contracts will be awarded at once for the construction of a large wing to Rockwood hospital for the insane.

ARNPRIOR, ONT. Plans for the new post-office will be received this week, and tenders for its erection will be invited shortly.

THESSALON, ONT.—The Building Committee of the Church of the Redeemer have decided to procure plans for a new building.

ACTON, ONT. Beardmore & Co. are about to build an extensive addition to their tannery. Work will be commenced at once.

WOODSTOCK, ONT.—Plans and estimates of cost for the northern sewerage system have been prepared by William Davis, town engineer. The estimated