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TENDERS

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to noon of SATURDAY, THE 19TH DAY OF DECEMBER, A.D. 1903, for the purchase of \$90,000 Sewerage Debentures of the Town of Perth, in the County of Lanark. Debentures are repayable in 30 annual instalments of principal and interest with interest coupons attached. For full particulars apply to
JOHN A. KERR,
Town Clerk, Perth, Ont.

Debentures for Sale

Tenders asked for Local Improvement Debentures of the Town of Harriston, amount \$3,859.82 at 4% per cent. Payable through 30 equal annual Debentures, at Standard Bank, Harriston, for \$26.75 each. Debentures delivered, and money therefor payable at said Bank, Harriston. No tender necessarily accepted. Tenders received by undersigned up to WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 16TH, 1903.

W. D. EBBELS,
Treasurer, Harriston, Ont.

CONTRACTS OPEN.

OWEN SOUND, ONT.—John McLellan is about to build a brick residence on Peel street.

EDMONTON, N.W.T.—The Edmonston Tent & Mattress Co. will erect a new building next spring.

CARDEN, ONT.—John O'Neil desires tenders by 19th inst. for erection of school house in S.S. No. 5, Carden.

DESERONTO, ONT.—The citizens contemplate the erection of a monument as a memorial to the late Mr. Rathbun.

INGERSOLL, ONT.—The council will shortly engage an architect to prepare plans for remodelling the town hall.

BRANTFORD, ONT.—The Brantford Carriage Co. have been granted a permit for a new warehouse to cost \$6,400.

ENNISKILLEN, ONT.—M. McLean will receive tenders up to 14th inst. for construction of the Dennis-Hamilton drain.

SAVANNE, ONT.—The Savanne Lumber Co. are disposing of their saw mill here and intend building a new mill at Steep Rock Lake.

HARRISTON, ONT.—Tenders asked by W. D. Ebbels, town treasurer, up to

16th inst. for purchase of \$3,859.82 4% per cent. debentures.

ST. THOMAS, ONT.—It is probable that a by-law will be submitted to the ratepayers to raise \$7,000 for extending the waterworks system.

GUELPH, ONT.—Col. Cotton, of Ottawa, was in the city last week with a view of selecting a site for the proposed armouries for the 30th Battalion.

KINGSTON, ONT.—It is reported that Hon. Clifford Sifton will next summer build a half mile track near his summer home at Whitney's Point.

HILLSBOROUGH, N. B.—At a public meeting held here last week it was decided to take immediate steps to further the extension of the Albert Railway to Moncton.

SAULT STE. MARIE, ONT.—Symon & Campbell have just taken tenders on rebuilding their block, on plans prepared by E. F. Head, architect.

EAST TORONTO, ONT.—The Grand Trunk Railway have offered \$4,000 and a site at corner Gerrard and Main streets for a new Y.M.C.A. hall.

WINGHAM, ONT.—The ratepayers will vote on a by-law at the municipal elections to expend \$35,000 for construction of waterworks and sewerage systems.

SIMCOE, ONT.—D. Dalton, reeve, will receive tenders up to 18th inst. for construction of two concrete masonry abutments for a bridge to be built over Big Creek at Delhi.

PERTH, ONT.—It has been definitely decided to submit a by-law to the ratepayers to provide \$12,000 for purchase of existing electric light plant and improvements thereto.

PORT ARTHUR, ONT.—Several Pittsburg capitalists are said to have under consideration the construction of a large coal dock here, this in addition to the one to be built by the Canadian Northern Railway.

NORTH BAY, ONT.—The town council have decided to submit to the ratepayers the question of constructing a sewerage system. Plans for same have been prepared by Willis Chipman, C.E., of Toronto; estimated cost \$80,000.

FREDERICTON, N. B.—C. H. LaBilois, Commissioner of Works, desires tenders by 21st inst. for rebuilding bridges in Madawaska and Victoria counties.—The government are now negotiating with the Quebec government for the erection of a passenger bridge over the river at Metapedia.

SASKATOON, N. W. T.—Bids received by W. C. Sutherland up to 22nd inst. for purchase of \$10,000 5 per cent. debentures, the proceeds to be applied to the construction of sidewalks and purchase of fire engine and appliances.

MAGOG, QUE.—H. Lovell, M. P. for Stanstead, was in town last week with a view to selecting a site for the proposed new public building. It is said that Mr. Lovell will recommend that a new wharf be built here also.

VICTORIA, B.C.—F. M. Rattenbury, architect, has just returned from Montreal and states that plans for the C.P.R. hotel here have been approved and that he will at once commence the preparation of the necessary working drawings. The hotel will contain 300 rooms.

BROCKVILLE, ONT.—The Light Commissioners have asked the city council to issue debentures for \$25,000 for improvements to the lighting plant.—B. Dillon, architect, has completed plans for a new Methodist church to be built at North Augusta next spring.

CHATHAM, ONT.—J. L. Wilson & Son, architects, are asking for tenders by 15th inst. for remodelling the J. B. Stinger Block, and until 14th inst. for various trades required in erection of pressed brick and cut stone residence, with hot water heating, for Frank Mount.

ANTIGONISH, N. S.—The Royal Bank of Canada has acquired property on Main street on which a bank building of brick or stone will be built.—A. J. Macdonald intends erecting a new store on the same street, and the local branch of the C. M. B. A. will erect a building suitable for hall purposes.

GRAND FORKS, B.C.—The Granby Consolidated Mining & Smelting Co. are considering the question of making further additions to the smelter.—The company have applied to the Provincial Government for permission to construct a tunnel through the mountain at Phoenix, with power to construct and operate a line of tramway through the tunnel.

OTTAWA, ONT.—The Board of Works will recommend that the council grant the sum of \$14,000 for paving the market proper on the west side from Clarence to George streets.—It is understood that immediate steps will be taken to rebuild the Ottawa University on modern plans, and that the cost will be \$250,000.

ST. CATHARINES, ONT.—Toronto capitalists, headed by H. L. Denn, have made a proposition to the city council to construct an electric railway from this city to Niagara-on-the-Lake, thence to Queenston and along the Q. and G. stone road back to St. Catharines, making a belt line 28 miles in length. A by-law to assist the company may be submitted to the ratepayers.

VANCOUVER, B. C.—The Water Committee will immediately advertise for tenders for supply of pipe and waterworks fittings.—It is probable that steps will be taken at an early date to construct