

CONSTRUCTION NEWS SECTION

Readers will confer a great favor by sending in news items from time to time. We are particularly eager to get notes regarding engineering work in hand and projected, contracts awarded, changes in staffs, etc. Printed forms for the purpose will be furnished upon application.

TENDERS.

Nova Scotia.

DEVIL'S ISLAND.—Tenders for extension of breakwater, Devil's Island, will be received at this office until 4.30 p.m. on Thursday, November 19th, 1908, for the construction of an extension to the breakwater at Devil's Island, Halifax county, N.S., according to a plan and specification to be seen at the offices of C. E. Dodwell, Esq., resident engineer, Halifax, N.S.; E. G. Milledge, Esq., resident engineer, Antigonish, N.S., on application to the postmaster at Eastern Passage, N.S., and at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa. By order. Nap. Tessier, Secretary, Department of Public Works.

WEST ADVOCATE.—Tender for West Advocate Breakwater, N.S., will be received at this office until 4.30 p.m. on Friday, November 13th, 1908, for the construction of a breakwater at West Advocate, Cumberland County, N.S., according to a plan and specification to be seen at the offices of C. E. W. Dodwell, Esq., resident engineer, Halifax, N.S.; E. G. Millidge, Esq., resident engineer, Antigonish, N.S.; on application to the postmaster at West Advocate, N.S., and at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa. Nap. Tessier, secretary, Department of Public Works.

New Brunswick.

HAVELOCK.—Tender for Havelock village culvert, will be received at the Department of Public Works, Fredericton, until Monday, 30th day of November, 1908, at noon, for rebuilding Havelock village culvert, Parish of Havelock, King's County, according to plans and specifications to be seen at the Public Works Department, Fredericton, N.B., and at the office of Mr. J. A. Murray, M.P.P., Sussex, N.B., and at the office of Mr. H. A. Keith, Havelock, N.B. John Morrissy, Chief Commissioner, Department of Public Works.

LEPREAU.—Tenders for brickyard cove retaining wall will be received at the Department of Public Works, Fredericton, until Monday, 30th day of November, 1908, at noon, for rebuilding brickyard cove retaining wall on Little Lepreau Road, parish of Lepreau, Charlotte county, N.B., according to plans and specifications to be seen at the Public Works Department, Fredericton, N.B., and at the store of Oscar Hanson, Sr., Little Lepreau, on and after Monday, November 16th, 1908. John Morrissy, Chief Commissioner, Department of Public Works.

LEPREAU.—Sealed tenders, marked "Tender for Mill Pond Bridge," will be received at the Department of Public Works, Fredericton, until Monday, 30th day of November, 1908, at noon, for rebuilding Mill Pond Bridge over Little Lepreau River at Hanson's, parish of Lepreau, Charlotte county, N.B., according to plans and specifications to be seen at the Public Works Department, Fredericton, N.B., and at the store of Oscar Hanson, Sr., Little Lepreau, on and after Monday, November 16th, 1908. John Morrissy, Chief Commissioner, Department of Public Works.

Quebec.

POINTE à BROUSSEAU.—Tender for Pointe à Brousseau Wharf will be received at this office until Monday, November 16, 1908, for the construction of a Wharf at Pointe à Brousseau, Gaspé County, Que., according to a plan and specification to be seen at the office of Ph. Beland, Clerk of Works, Post Office Building, Quebec, on application to the Postmaster at Little Valley, P.Q., and at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa. Nap. Tessier, secretary, Department of Public Works.

RIVIERE BLANCHE.—Tender for Riviere Blanche, Pier Head Extension, will be received at this office until 4.30 p.m., on Monday, November 16, 1908, for the construction of

an extension to Head Block of Pier at Riviere Blanche, Rimouski County, Province of Quebec, according to a plan and specification to be seen at the offices of Mr Chs. Desjardins, Clerk of Works, Post Office, Montreal; Mr. A. R. Decary, Resident Engineer, Post Office, Quebec; on application to Mr. Hermel Parent, Postmaster, Tessierville, Que., and at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa. Nap. Tessier, secretary, Department of Public Works.

ST. EMELIE.—Tenders for roadway and enlargement of block at St. Emelie will be received at this office until 4.30 p.m. on Monday, November 23rd, 1908, for the construction of a roadway and enlargement of block at Ste. Emelie (Leclercville), Lotbiniere county, Province of Quebec, according to a plan and specification to be seen at the office of A. Decary, Esq., resident engineer, post-office, Quebec, on application to the postmaster at Leclercville, Lotbiniere county, Que., and at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa. Nap. Tessier, Secretary, Department of Public Works.

THREE RIVERS.—Tenders for dock and ice-breaker, Three Rivers, will be received at this office until 4.30 p.m. on Friday, November 27th, 1908, for the construction of a timber dock and ice-breaker at Three Rivers, St. Maurice county, Province of Quebec, according to a plan and specification to be seen at the office of A. Decary, Esq., resident engineer, post-office, Quebec; Charles Desjardins, Esq., Clerk of Works, post-office, Montreal; F. X. Berlinguet, Esq., resident engineer, Three Rivers, and at the Department of Public Works. Nap. Tessier, Secretary, Department of Public Works.

Ontario.

KINGSTON.—Tenders for floor, Kingston Drill Hall, and addressed to the Secretary of the Militia Council, Headquarters, Ottawa, will be received until noon, November 12th, 1908, for the renewal of the floor in the Drill Hall, Kingston, Ont. E. F. Jarvis, Secretary.

PELEE ISLAND.—Tender for the Pelee Island Wharf Extension, will be received at this office until 4.30 p.m. on Monday, Nov. 23rd, 1908, for the construction of an extension to the west wharf at Pelee Island, Essex County, Ontario, according to a plan and specification to be seen at the offices of J. G. Sing, Esq., resident engineer, Confederation Life Building, Toronto; H. J. Lamb, Esq., resident engineer, London, Ont., on application to the postmaster at Pelee Island, Ont., and at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa. Nap. Tessier, secretary, Department of Public Works.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Ontario

TORONTO.—Baker and Jordall, Manning Chambers, Toronto, are making the foundation test pits for the new Bell Telephone Building, Toronto.

Manitoba.

FORT WILLIAM.—The contract for the new 4,000,000 bushel elevator here has been awarded to James Stewart & Co., of Chicago, the price being about \$2,000,000. The equipment is to be the most modern and the house is to be absolutely fireproof. It is to be completed by November 1st, 1909.

British Columbia.

VICTORIA.—The tenders for the 3,500 water meters for the waterworks system were received and opened. The prices tendered showed a wide range. The tenders were referred to the water commissioner and the city purchasing agent to report to the streets, bridges and sewer committee.